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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, AUGUST 4th, 1877.

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| SHIPPING.  | NOTICES OF FIRMS.   | TO BE LET.   | INTIMATIONS  | INTIMATIONS.   | INTIMATIONS.   | INTIMATIONS.   |
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| ATTORIST ZETERINA, TRUITMEN BULL VEOLUS VEOLUS VI  | NOTICE:  TROM This Date Mr. EDWARD SHEP: PARD and Mr. M. W. GREIG are   | TOUSE, No. 10, ALBANY ROAD, lately   | EX LATE ARRIVALS, AND FOR SALE,  DASS & Co.'s PALE ADE, in Pints and   | NOTICE.  | CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.   | FOR PORTLAND.  HE Al American Ship   |
| Ackerman, Shanghai 29th July, Gene-  | authorized to SIGN the NAME of our FIRM   | "BISNEE VILLA," PORFOCLUM, Fur-  | D Quarts, bottled by Cameron and Saun-   | THE PRICE LIST just issued by the Undersigned will take effect from 1st                              | NOTICE TO SHABEHOLDERS.  | "PILGRIM" will load here for the above Port and have quic  |
| August 2, Ocnan, British str., 971, J. C. Ja-<br>ques, Foochow 31st July, Tea.—Jax-            | ELLWELL at AMOY. RUSSELL & Co.  | Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkorg, 16th June, 1877.  [tf512]   | GUINNESS'S STOUT, in Pints and Quarts, bottled by E. and J. BURKE.  GUINNESS'S STOUT, in Kilderkins.   | August.  | A N EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE.  | despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.  |
| August 3, Yesso, British str., 560, Ashton, Ecochow 31st July, Amoy 1st August.                | NOTICE.   | TO LET. THREE LARGE HOUSES (recently   | BARCLAY and PERKINS' PORTER, in Hogs-<br>heads.  | Any one to whom a Copy has not been sent may obtain it on application.                               | Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 21st August, at 3 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of   | Hengkeng, 3rd August, 1877. [12  |
| and Swatow 2nd, General.—D. LAPRAIK  | our FIRM CEASED on the 30th ultimo.   | thoroughly repaired) known as FLET-<br>quen's Buildings, adjoining the Control De-<br>partment. They may be occupied as entire | NORWEGIAN BEER, in Quarts, HENNESSE'S 1 Star and 3 Star BRANDY. SWAIN and BOOKD'S OLD TOM GIN.   | LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 1st August, 1877. [2w1182]  | confirming the Special Resolution passed at the Meeting of the Shareholders held This Day.  By Order,  | Rooms, well Furnished. Rent Moderate.  |
| August 3, Fu-vew, Chinese steamer, 920, A. Croad, Canton 2nd August, General.—                 | 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1   | Dwellings or in Flats, and would be suitable<br>for a Mess or Boarding Establishment.  | The Famous O.K. BOURBON WHISKY. SHERRIES of various Brands   | NOTICE.  | W. H. RAY, Secretary. Hougkong, 31st July, 1877. [1187   | Apply to D. NOWROJEE.  |
| O. M. S. N. Co.  August 3, Danube, Brit, str., 720, Clanchy,  Bangkok 26th July, General.—Yuen | HAVE Admitted Mr. C. H. E. SEIMUND a PARTNER in my Firm, which will be  | SPACIOUS GRANITE GODOWNS, con-<br>nected with the above, fronting the Harbour  | CROSSE AND BLACKWELL'S STORES. POTTED MEATS and ANCHOVY PASTE.   | ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. having been appointed SOLE AGENTS in Hong-                                       | CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE  | Hongkong, 4th August, 1877. [tfl:  |
| FAT HONG. August S. Esmeralda, British etr., 395, E.   | MORE AND SEIMUND:   | and Queen's Road. Apply to SHARP, TOLLER, AND JOHNSON  | DRIED HERRINGS   | kong for the well-known firm of Messrs. M. B. Foster and Sons (Chief Agents in England               | and the second of the second o |  |
| Thebaud, Taetan 2nd August, Ballast.  —A. Macc. Heaton.  Pritish str., 1.271, Scott.           | THE PARTIES OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF | Surreme Court House.   | And the second s | for Messrs. Bass & Co.), are prepared to supply ALE and STOUT of their bottling at \$8 per           | 1 The state of the | The state of the s |
| Calcutta 19th July, Penang 25th, and<br>Swatow 28th, General—Jandine, MA.                      | MR. EDWARD BURNIE will conduct the Business of my Office, during my temporary absence from the Colony.  | Hongkong, 23rd April, 1877. [625] TO LET.  THE PREMISES in BANK BUILDINGS.   | PEARL BARLEY, CATMEAL,<br>TAPIOCA, SAGO, ARROWROOT,  | Case of 3 dozen Quarts, and \$10.50 per Case of 6 dozen Pints.  The Superior Quality of this Beer is | Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE,<br>Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 21st<br>August, at 3.15 o'clock P.M., in order to take   | Shamoen, Canton, are hereby request to pay the amounts due on their several lots.  |
| THESON & Co.   | R. H. CAIRNS, Surveyor to Local Offices and Lloyds', Register of Shipping.  | now occupied by THE COMPTOIR D'Es-<br>COMPTE DE PARIS. Possession from 1st Octo-   | MACCARONI. FRUITS in Noveau. OX TONGUES, SMOKED, COLLARED, and   | undoubted, and LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. con-   | THILD PARGICIANTIAN A PARAMETER PROBABLIAN TA ALFAY  | before the 4th September, 1877.  |

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Per 2 doz. pints, \$13.

CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s HOCHHEIMER \$8.50

CUTLER PARMER & CO.'S CHATEAU \ 812

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UTLEE, PALMEE & CO.'S ST. JULIEN... Se

CUTLER, PALMEE & Co.'s CANTENAC. \$5.50

CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s SHEERY, 3 310.25

CUTLED, PALMER & Co.'s COGNAC 1 star \$6.25

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THE Undersigned, Agents for the above

A. Company, are propared to grant Policies

against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on any

FIRST-CLASS RISK

A RETURN OF TWENTY PER CENT. (20%)

TITHE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY

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CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s SHERRY,

Vino de Pasto, blue seul

Hongkong, 13th December, 1876.

Hongkong, 1st March, 1874.

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Head Office, 48, Borham Strand,

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Vino Puro, blue seal.....

Manzanilla, red seal

fine full flavour, black seal.

Per 1 doz. quarts.

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SALMON BELLIES, in Kits.

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Hongkong, 19th July, 1877.

Hongkong, 30th July, 1877.

Hongkong, 2nd July, 1877.

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SAUSAGES, Assorted.

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RUSSIA OX TONGUES. REINDEER

OLEARANCES. 2. Club Chambers. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 19th March, 1877. 8m430Hailoong, British steamer, for Swatow, &c. MR. F. C. DITTMER is authorized to SIGN our Firm per Precuration. Fu yere, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai. Starlight, Siamese brig, for Bangkok. SANDER & Co. Yotlung, British steamer, for Hollow. Hongkong, 23rd June, 1877. Ocean, British steamer, for Sydney.

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No. 6142

Per Ocean, str., for Sydney :-

throughout.

REPORTS.

The British steamship Danuoe reports les

Bangkok on 26th July, and had light S.W.

the German bank Formosa off White Dogs.

The British steamship Argyll reports left Calcutta on 19th July, Penang on the 25th, and

weather and light airs throughout. Passed the

klang, and Europe. Passed the steamship Fa-

Cheang Hock Kian, Norna, and H.M.S. Nassau.

SWATOW SHIPPING.

26, Douglas, British str., from Coast Ports.

27. Hermine, German back, from Chefoo.

30. Paradies, Ger. bark, from Newchwang.

30. Namoa, British steamer, from Hongkong.

31. Chefoo. British steamer, from Shanghai

31, Hwai-yuen, hinese str., from Shanghal

31. Hockung, Chinese str., from Shanghai.

DEPARTURES.

6. Douglas, British str., for Hongkong.

, Hongkong, British steamer, from Amoy.

. Hailoong, British steamer, for Hongkong.

Adria, British steamer, from Hongkong.

R. Brooke, Sarawak str., from Singapore.

1. F. Starace, Italian bark, from New York.

Glamorganshire, Brit. bark, from H'kong...

7. Danube, British steamer, from Hongkong.

18. St. Joseph, French bark, from Hongkong.

20, Aurora, British bark, from Hongkong.

DEPARTURES.

Altha, German bark, for Singapore. Hieronimus, British bark, for Hongkong.

Diamant, German bark, for Hongkong.

17. Palestine, British back, for Hongkong.

22. Teckli, German bark, for Singapore.

28, Heichong, British bark, for Shanghai.

50. Martaban, British str., for Singapore.

Stanfield, British bark, for Hongkong.

Windshrout, German bark, for Singspore.

Corings, British bark, for Hongkong.

15. Adria, British steamer, for Hongkong. 16. Baltic, German bark, for Amoy, 17. Morro Castle, Amer. bark, for Hongkong.

13, R. Brooks, Sarawak str., for Singapore.

20, Mikado, German bark, for Hongkong.

22, Auguste, Freuch back, for Hongkong.

26, Talee, German bark, for Hongkong.

30. Falcon, British bark, for Singapore,

25. Danube, British steamer, for Hongkong.

26, Ruhtinas, Russian bark, for Hongkong.

26, Celestial, British steamer, for Singapore.

30, B. Yong Seng, Brit str., for Singapore.

2. St. Joseph, French bark, for Hongkong.

Sully, French back, for Hongkong.

Nadeshda Danish schooner, for Amoy

10. Tintern Abbey, Brit. str., for Hongkong.

11, F. Starace, Italian sch., for Hongkong,

13. Ann Adamson, Brit. bk., for Cherbourg.

13, Bangkok, Siam steamer, for Singapore.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

Rajonattianubar, Brit, str., for Hongkong. Glamorganshire, Brit, str., for Hongkong.

22 Echo British bark, for Swatow.

21. Nadeshda, Danish sch., from Amoy.

BANGKOK SHIPPING

26, Yesso, British steamer, from Hongkong, 26, Alex. Newton, Brit. bk., from Newchwang.

monsoon and fine weather throughout.

THAVE THIS DAY established myself at this Port as GENERAL COMMISSION DEPARTURES. August 3, CHINA, German str., for Canton. E. A. RAVEN. August 3, Ningpo, Brit. str., for Shanghai. Canton, 23rd June, 1877. 2m97'NOTICE. PASSENGERS. MR. WM. O. HOWLAND is authorized to

Per Yesso, str., from East Coast :-Mr. Elwell and 50 Chinese. WILLIAMS & Co. Per Ocean, str., from Foochow:-Swatow, 1st December, 1876. Mr. and Mrs. Bayley, Miss Misland, and Mr. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING Per Danube, str., from Bangkok :-CORPORATION. 89 Chinese.

Per China, str., from Shanghai :--NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. 15 Chinese. Per Argyll, str., from Calcutta, &c, :-Holders in this Corporation will be held 550 Chinese. TO DEPART. Per Hailoong, str., for Swatow, &c. :at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on THURS. 70 Chinese. DAY, the 16th day of August current, at THERE Per Fungero, str., for Shanghai :o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the 30 Chinese. Report of the Court of Directors, together with Per Yottung, str., for Hollow :a Statement of Accounts to 80th June, 1877. 100 Chinese.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, 1st August, 1877. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING The British steamship Esmeralda reports left CORPORATION. Taetan on 2nd August, and had fine weather

By Order of the Court of Directors;

THOMAS JACKSON.

SIGN our FIRM'S NAME per procura

TOTICE is hereby given, that the REGIS TERS of SHARES of the CORPORA TION will be CLOSED from the 4th to the 16th day of August current (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of The German steamship China reports left Shares can be registered: Shanghai on 29th July, and had fine weather By Order of the Court of Directors. THOMAS JACKSON. and light variable winds throughout. Passed

Chief Manager. Hongkong, 1st August, 1877. TONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING Singapore on the 28th at midnight, and had fine CORPORATION

steamship Pokin 40 miles North of Pulo Sapata. PAID-UP CAPITAL ...... 5,000,000 of Dollars. RESERVE FUND ....... 500,000 of Dollars. The British steamship Ocean reports left Foochow on 31st July, and had moderate variable winds and fine weather to Breaker Point:

COURT OF DIRECTORS :-Chairman-H. Hoppius, Esq. from thence to port light S. Westerly winds and Deputy Chairman-F. D. Sassoon, Esq. occasional showers. Passed a great number of E. R. Belillos. Esq. A. McIver, Esq. William Reiners, Esq. Hon. W. Kenwick: Ed. Tobin, Eag. CHIEF MANAGER. The British steamship Yesso reports left For-Hongkong—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq., chow on 31st July, Amoy on 1st August, and Swatow on the 2nd, and had moderate winds and MANAGER. fine weather, throughout. In Foochow, strs. Shanghai-EWEN CAMERON, Esq.

Macgregor, Ocean, Mecca, Thingvalla, Han-LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK broches in River Min, bound in. In Amoy, strs. HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. Glenorchy, Stoctow, and Alogy. The steamship On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of Takean left on 1st instant. In Swatow, steamper cent, per Annum on the daily balance. ship Tientsin, Chefoo, Hwai Yuen, Hochung, On Fixed Deposits :-For 3 months 2 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months 4 per cent, per annum. For 12 months 5 per cent. per annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Socurities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. 31, C. Hock Kian, Brit. str., from Hongkong. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1. Queen's Road East Hongkong, 29th March, 1877. CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS TRALIA AND CHINA.

Norns, British steamer, from Hongkong. 6 Yesso, British steamer, for Coast Ports. Bankers. 30. Namon, British steamer, for Coast Ports. THE BANK OF ENGLAND. 31. Hwatow. British steamer, for Shanghai.

THE CITY BANK

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND The BANK'S BRANCH in HONGRONG grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East buys and re- current local rate of Premia will be allowed ceives for collection Bills of Exchange; and upon Insurances effected with this Company conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Local Bills discounted, and interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Deposits for fixed

periods on terms which may be ascertained on

Rajanattianulur, Brit, str., from H'kong. SUN FIRE OFFICE. H. S. Coan Unteb bark, from Singapore. 29. Tintern Abbey, Brit. str., from Madras. \$50,000 on First-class Risks... Scharnhorst, Ger. bark, from Singapore. St. Ideac, French bark, from Singapore: 1. Celestial, British steamer, from Singapore. II. Bangkok, Siamoso str., from Singapore. T GELINSTEAD 12, B. Yong Song, Prit str., from Singapo

application.

Agent, Sun Fire Office. Hongkong, 4th October, 1878. HE LONDON ASSURANCE. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS MAJESTY KING GRORGE THE FIRST. A.D.-1720

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows -MARINE DEPARTMENT. Policies at current rates, psyable either her in London, or at the principal Ports of India,

China, and Australia. FIRE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for long or short periods a current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed. LIFE DEPARTMENT

Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, 26th July, 1872. HAMBURG-MAGDEBURG FIRE all premium charged for insurance; such dis Chan Shung Lat, of the Lai Yuen Firm. INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

/ THIS Company is now prepared to issue Po-Les against Loss or Damage by Fire at CURRENT RATES. Every risk taken by this Company is participated in by three of the largest German Fire Insurance Companies representing an aggregate Capital and Surplus of MILLION DOLLARS, thus enabling this Company to accept large lines.

Hongkong, 27th June, 1877.

over SIXIV MILLION MARKS equal to FIFTEEN SANDER & Co., The Daily Press Office.

OUSES, Nos. 4 and 5, PECHILI TERRACE, BATH CHAPS, &c., &c., &c. Elgin Street. PHILLIPPE and CANAUD'S SARDINES. LANE. CRAWFORD & Co. PHILLIPPE and CANAUD'S Assorted PATES. Hongkong, 31st July, 1877. PHILLIPPE and CANAUD'S ASPARAGUS. FRENCH PRUNES, in 2lb. Bottles. TO LET. TRUFFLES, 1 and 2 Cans. FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWN GERMAN VEGETABLES, Assorted. on the Praya, Wanchi. FINE DUTCH HERRINGS, SALTED, in

E. R. BELILIOS.

OLYPHANT & Co. HEL SOUPS, in Sets. Hongkong, 1st March, 1877. TO LET. -THE DWELLING HOUSE & OFFICES No. 1. D'AGUILAR STREET, lately in the constion of Messrs. Douglas Lapraik & Co. The DWELLING HOUSE No. 1, ALEXAN-DRA TERRACE The DWELLING HOUSE, No. 6, GOUGH

Hongkong, 2nd July, 1877.

TO LET.

With Possession 1st September.

STREET. The DWELLING HOUSE No. 10, GOUGH STREET: Possession from 1st September next. The BUNGALOW No. 5 OLD BAILEY FREET. Possession from 1st August next. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, 10th July, 1877. THE HOUSEHOLD COMPANION

STUDENT'S FIRST ASSISTANCE By Dr. DHYAN, With many Additions, Corrections, and Dr. WILLIAMS Orthography. PRICE :-In Paper Wrapper. Neatly Bound ...

Apply at the Daily Press Office. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents to the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, 9th November, 1868. ti717 most durable nature. TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Risks against Fire at Current Rates, subject to a Bonus of 20 per cent. SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED)

NOTICE

TOOLICIES granted at current rates on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two-thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount of Premis contributed by each; the remaining OLYPHANT & Co...

third being carried to Reserve Fund. General Agents. Hougkong, 17th April, 1873. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER AND SPHOIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT. ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL-22,000,000.

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong for Cutler, Palmer & Co.'s. Champagne, \$12 L. the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual rates, subject to a discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %). GILMAN & Co.,

Hongkong, 7th July, 1874. STVERPOOL AND LONDON-AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. SECOND COLONIAL SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.

THE Undersigned having been appointed THE Undersigned is prepared to Grant . Agents in Hongkong for the above Com-Policies against Fire to the extent of pany call SPECIAL ATTENTION OF SHIPPERS to the low rotes of Premium CUTLER, PALMER & CO.'s COGNAO 8 star \$9 A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) apon | charged for all steamer risks, besides which a the Current Local Bates of Premia. will be al. Brokerage of THIRTY THREE and ONE. CUILER, PALMER & CO.'s COGNAC 4 star \$10.50 lowed upon Insurances effected with this Office. THIRD PER CENT. (331 %) will be allowed on risks to ports in China Japan the Philip pines, and the Straits. On risks to all other [1335] ports the Brokerege will be FIFTEEN PER IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM

SIEMSSEN & Co. Agents. Hongkong, 1st July, 1874. tf1028 BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned, having been appointed

Agents for the above Company, are pre- will be made on the premium charged on all pared to grant Insurances as follows MARINE RISKS. Policies at Current Rates, payable either here. in London, or at the principal ports of India, Australia, and the East. A BROKERAGE of THIRTY-THREE and ONE. THIRD PER CENT. will be allowed on all LOCAL

FIRE RISKS Policies granted on First-class Buildings to an extent of \$20,000. A DESCOUNT of TWENTY PER CENT. (20%) upon the Correct Local Rates will be allowed on Lee Sing, of the Lai Hing Firm. count being deducted at the sime of the issue Wong Yik Pon, of the Chun Cheong Wing RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 1st January, 1874. THE TOURIST'S GUIDE REDUCED PRICE. \$1: Containing the names of all the Articles o Trade, objects of Natural History, Furniture. &c. &c., with the Punti and Mandarin Pronun-CHINESE LANGUAGE, in two Parts.

CHAS. HEIDSIECK'S CHAMPAGNE. WEISSLACK." \$19.....per case of 2 dozen pints. per case of 1 dozen quarts. HATEAU LEOVILLE POYFERRE, 186 VIN DES PRINCES." \$18 per case of I dozen quarts, PALMER MARGAUX. .....per case of 1 dozen quarts. CHATEAU BELAIR. .....per case of I dozen quarts. LORMONT. \$5 ......per\_ousa of 1 dozen quarts. \$6 .....per case of 2 dozen pints. SIEMSSEN &-Co.

FOR SALE

Hongkong, 31st July, 1877.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1876.

COMPANY. EXTRA FINE FAMILY PIG PORK, in Kegs Extra Fine Family MESS BEEF, in Kogs. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL FARLS TWO MILLIONS, IN 1,000 SHARES OF TAELS 2,000 BACH. PAID UP CAPITAL TAELS SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND, OF TAELS 600 PER SHARE.

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE

MIXED PICKLES, GHERKINS, STOFFED PROVISIONAL COMMITTEE. DESSERT and PIE FRUITS, &c., &c., &c. F. H. BELL, Esq. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & CO. Messis. Adamson, Bell & Co. 1978 M. S. GUBBAY, Esq., Messis. David Sassoon, Sons & Co JAMES HART, Eaq., Messis: Turner & Co. TO CONTRACTORS, HOUSE BUILDERS, E. H. LAVERS, Esq.

HUGH SUTHERLAND, Esq., Messis, John Forster & Co. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received a A. G. WOOD, Esq., Messrs. Gidb, Livingston & Co. FIRST-CLASS MANILA HARDWOOD of different kinds, and of the very best quality, HEAD OFFICE. suitable for House-Building, Ship-Building, and SHANGHAL

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for all kinds of Work requiring Timber of the SECRETARY. HERBERT'S. MORRIS, Esq. A good assortment of LOGS and PLANKS DANKERS. TEAKWOOD of the most superior quality.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION BRANCHES. TUST arrived, a Small STEAM LAUNCH Twin Screw and Donkey Pump, Also, LONDON (25, CORNHILL, E.C.), HONG-KONG. YOKOHAMA.

Apply to Coptain CLARK "NIMEOD"; or, JOHN CHOR: Compradore. [1179] AT THE PRINCIPAL PORTS IN THE EAST AND

DEETJEN & Co. SURANCE COMPANY 1875-1877. [6m1023

A Reserve Fund will be formed of Tuels 400,000, by setting aside a portion of the profits | Office of the Company for Warrants. at such times and in such sums as the Shareholders shall decide The not profits of the Company for each year will be divided amongst the Shareholders in the We have secured some Excellent Wines and following manner:-Cornac of the well known shippers, Curles,

One-third over the Shares, a portion thereof being set aside for the formation of a Reserve Fund as above stated. Two-thirds as a return to Contributors (being | wil be on the Ground-floor of the HOTEL DE Shareholders), in proportion to the Premis. paid or inflaenced by them.

A revision of the Share List will take place at the end of every three years, and for this purnose power will be given to the Directors by the Deed of Settlement to withdraw at the beforementioned periods allor any of the Shares held June 25th. by Sharsholders who have not contributed -Premia or whose contributions during the preceding three years have not been in proportion to the number of Shares held.

Shareholders retiring from the Company in pursuance of the above regulation, will be no-lifted at least three months prior to the date fixed for any such revision of the Share List, and will have the option of disposing of their Shares in either of the following ways :-They will be at liberty at any time after receipt of notice of withdrawal, and prior to the

date of revision, to sell their Shares to any person approved by the Company and accented as the transferee; or, Upon surrendering their scrip certificate for cancellation at the time of such revision, and pursuant to notice, will receive a return of the Capital paid up thereon; and so soon after as the financial position of the Company up to the date of the ravision can be necertained and the accounts adjusted, they profits as may be found due to them. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that applications the distribution of the Nett Profits reserved for

tember; from London and distant ports until 31st October next. FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES. TO THE PROVISIONAL COMMITTEE

NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

GENTLEMEN.

Insurances, such RETURN being payable on the hereby request that you will allof to and .... agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to it, and and ..... agree to pay the first Call of Tls. 600 per Share, and all subsequent Calls, and to subscribe the Deed of Settlement when required to do so. Gentlemen. Your obedient servant.

> Forms of Application for Shares can be obtained at the Head Office, or by application to the Agents of the Company. Shanghai, 18th June, 1877. THE UNION MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

HONGKONG and FOOCHOW, are prepared authorising them to issue Policies to the extent to accept Risks and issue Policies by any First of £10,000 on any one First-class Risk, or to MARINE RISE On Goods, &c., taken at class Steamers, at CURRENT RATES, payable the extent of £15,000 on Adjoining Risks at CURRENT BATES to Australia, California, either here in London, in Liverpool, or at the Current Bates. Also a few copies of the GRAMMAR OF THE the Treaty Ports of Ohina and Japan BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, 22nd May, 1877.

[1m1183] a subdivision of the Company's existing Shares and a division of its Capital into Shares of onethird the emount fixed by the said Memorandum of Association, and to take into consideration further Special Resolutions to alter Articles 31 and 75 of the Company's Articles of Association in the manner required by the said alteration of the Memorandum of Association.

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By Order. W. H. RAY. Secretary. Hongkong, Slat July, 1877. -PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY NOTICE

THE DEPARTURE of the Company's counts to 30th June, 1877. Bteamship "CITY OF PEKING" has been POSTPONED to SATURDAY, August 4th, at 3 P.M. RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 30th July, 1877. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF - HONGKONG. SUMMARY JURISDICTION. FOREIGN ATTACHMENT.

Suit No. 670. Plaintiff Line FAI, trading under the firm name of " Wong Yuch." Defendants—Ow YEONG CHING and OW YEONG CHAR, trading together under the firm name of "Man Shan."

Foreign Attachment returnable on the quently admitted. Oth day of August next, against all the Property, moveable or immoveable, of the above-named Defendants within the Colony, has been issued in this Suit pursuant to the Provisions of Section LXXXII. of "The Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure." WILLIAM H: BRERETON,

Solicitor for the PlaintH. 29, Queen's Road, Hongkong. - NOTICE.

WING CHEONG SHUN ESTATE THE FINAL DIVIDEND of Two PER CENTUM (2%) on the above Estate will be PAYABLE at CHUN CHEONG WING HONG. Bonham Strand West, on and after the 9th day of August proximo. Hongkong, 26th July, 1877.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND, at the Rate of 3 % VIMIL Company will be constituted on the 1st | 1 82.25 PER SHARE, declared at the Or-January, 1878, as a permanent Marine | dinary Half-yearly Meeting of Shareholders held Insurance Company, to carry on the business This Day, will be PAYABLE at the Hond-(established in 1863) of the North-China In- kong and Shanghat Banking Corporation on and after FRIDAY, the 27th instant. Shareholders are requested to apply at the By Order of the Board of Directors, P. A. DA COSTA,

> Hongkong, 25th July, 1877. DENTAL NOTICE. N and after the 28th of May, Dr. STOUT'S

CONSULTING and OPERATING ROOMS L'UNIVERS. Hongkong, 28th May, 1877. DENTAL NOTICE. R. ROGERS has RETURNED, and will be

ready to receive Patients on MONDAY No. 7, ARBUTHNOT ROAD. Hongkong, 21st June, 1877. THEVENIN

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT. AND IMPORTER OF FRENCH GOODS. 44, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

NOW ON SALE. TOOUND VOLUMES of the China Overland Trade Report for the Year 1876. ----PRICE-TEN DOLLARS. Apply at the Daily Press Office. Hongkong, February, 1877. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1876. shall also receive a pro rata share of the CHAREHOLDERS in the above Office are Reserve Fund, if any accumulated, together -requested to furnish the Undersigned with with such proportion of the unappropriated a LIST of their CONTRIBUTION for the year ending 31st December, 1876, in order that THE Steamship

received at the Offices of the Company, from re- rendered prior to the 31st August next will be of Cargo by her are hereby requested to send sidents in China and Jupan, until the 30th Sep. adjusted by the Office, and no claim or alterations | their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for will be subsequently admitted. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, 1st May, 1877. NOTIOE THE Undersigned has been appointed

AGENT at THIS PORT for THE POSI-TIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED) W. H. NOTLEY. Hongkong, 6th June, 1877.

THE SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned, having been appointed Agent in Hongkong for the above named

Company, is prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE on Buildings and on Goods to the extent of £10,000, at the usual rates, subject to an immediate discount of 20% and the state of the stat Attention is invited to a considerable reduction n Premis for LIFE INSURANCE in Chine. A. MACG. HEATON, Hongkong, 27th September, 1875. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

A Discount of 20 % allowed. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, 8th January, 1875.

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paid on the 4th September next will be liable to be re-entered upon by H.M.'s Government,

H. A. GILLS, H.M. Acting Vice Consul H.M. Consulate. Canton, 4th August, 1877. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS THE HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, Club Chambers, on WEDNESDAY, 22nd August, 1877, at 3 P.M.,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 22nd. instant, both days included. By Order of the Board, D. GILLIES,

Hongkong, 2nd August, 1877 HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1876. CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contribution for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the Distribution of TWENTY PER CENT. (20 %) of the Nett Profits reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October next will be adjusted by the Com-

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 1st August, 1877. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

 ${f LIMITED}.$ ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1876 CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company

are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the proportion of the Net Profits to be reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October next will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE

Secretary. Hongkong, 1st August, 1877. In the ESTATE and EFFECTS of HO ASSEK, alias Ho In KnE, alias Ho FEE In. late Partner and Manager of KIN NAM Hong, Hongkong, Deceased.

FIRE Deceased HO ASSEK died in Pang-po Shun tak District, near Canton, on 29th April 1877. HO LEONG SHE, wife of said Deceased has obtained Letters of Administration to the Estate; she being blind, has given power of attorney to WEI AWKANG, Compredore to the Chartered Mercantile Bank, to act for her in all matters respecting the above Estate. Notice is hereby given, that all Persons having LAIMS against the Estate of Ho Assex, late

Partner and Manager of Kin Nam Hone, are requested to send in Particulars of same to the Undersigned in writing on or before the Blst October, 1877, otherwise no Claim shall be al-All Persons indebted to the above Estate are equested to make immediate payment. Ho

Asser's Interest and Responsibility in the KIN NAM HONG ceases from this date, the remaining ti808 Partners continue the Business as before, and settle all accounts of the firm. WEI AKWANG. Attorney for Ho Leong SHE.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1877. RIENTAL HOTEL WELLINGTON STREET, HONGKONG. STOCKHAUSEN AND ROSE

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HAVING been appointed AGENT in HONG-Gazette, " Japan Gazette Summary," and "Hong List," Orders for Subscriptions and Advertisements for that Paper will be received at this Office.

Hongkong Daily Press Office, Hongkong, 23rd May, 1877.

-NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

for Shares in the undermentioned form will be Contributors may be arranged. Returns not having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once

anded at Consignees' risk and expense, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 4th August, 1877. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "STENTOR" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis charged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of

the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the Goods undelivered after the 7th August, 1877. will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 31st July, 1877.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and THE Undersigned, having been appointed THE Undersigned Agents are in receipt of take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been AGENTS of the above Company at Lainstructions from the Board of Directors landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. H. DU POUEY.

N.B. 100 tags Stones, from Madras. K.T. 27 packages Medicine, &c., Gy Son Tai, from Saigon. Hongkong, Slat July, 1877.

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Hongkong, August 4rn, 1877.

THE interpretation in the Supreme Court ha been frequently commented on, both in the and cargo at auction. Straits Times. court itself and outside. That there are grave defects is unquestionable, but the man-

might be expressed than the one first used. and when we come to the much more difficult matter of expressing ideas in different languages, why the offering of a suggestion, by gentlemen whose duty to their clients enforces upon them the necessity of carefully watching every point which tells for or against, should be looked upon as such a grave impropriety, we fail to see. Probably it is because his Lordship has not drawn the necessary distinction between a suggestion and a correction or complaint. As to the interpretation itself, it will be readily under- throwing building rubbish at the back stood that the interpreter has a very difficult task to perform, and it is one in which he meets with little sympathy from the bench, bar, or the world in general. Sometimes he is called upon to perform wonderful exploits in the way of word-setting. Thus sentence which he instructed him to translate to the witness in Portuguese word by word as he read it. any language, as in transposing from one to another-more or less inversion, of the words is required. His Lordship is an excellent Latin scholar, but he would find it difficult for word, as he apparently expects the interpreter to do in a language which, if it does not require so much inversion as Lutin, requires a certain amount of it. The lawyers, Treaty Ports of China, Japan, and the Philip | the interpreter, and when he has commenced | £10 in each case. to put it to the witness, give it him in some It also includes a mass of usoful information other form, and when he has begun with that. a addition to that asually found in works of this in still another; until they must necessarily cause considerable confusion in his mind asto The larger Directory contains the different | what the question really is. We are far from Treaties and Conventions made by China and saying that the interpretation is by any close in shore at the time and no lives were lost it is not the interpreter alone who is responsible for all the mistakes which occur. As the Coroner remarked in reference to the interpretation at the inquest on the body of the man MANUEL RAE, there are many critics, but few capable of doing the work themselves. Certainly the interpretation is a very important matter, and urgently needs improvement, but in the meantime, taking things as they are, a little more consideration shown to the interpreter | kinds.

Lis any one engaged in the court who is able

to suggest to the interpretera clearer render-

scens to be no reason why the court should

not have the henefit of it. Offering

such a suggestion does not necessarily par-

court cannot take any interpretation which

is not approved by the interpreter, but Mr.

Rozanio, we believe, does not resent sugges-

tions, and when he is willing to accept them

JUSTICE should so energetically oppose them.

He himself not unfrequently suggests to the

legal gentlemen practising before him a

it is difficult to imagine why the CHIEF

interpretor's discharge of his duty.

The whole question of the interpretation however, both in the Supreme and Police duty of the Government to take steps to render this service efficient. When we consider the serious consequences which are liable to ensue upon a false interpretation in criminal cases, it is matter for astonishment that the present condition of things has been allowed to go ommented on this matter before, and expressed our opinion as to how the interpretorial service should be organised. has never yet been recognised as of any importance and has been left to chance The student interpreters: who came out here of eclipses as being likely to cause a meteorolom years since have all long ago climbed to other posts, and now the interpreting is left to foreigners and Chinese. This ought not here that there will be very bad weather on to be the case. There should be a chief inter. August 9th and September 7th. The following to be the case. There should be a chief interpreter, who ought to be an English official, and whose duty it should be to watchthe interpretation in all cases of difficulty or importance. He should be well 8.48 a.m. - Foochow Herald. paid, and should take rank as one of the heads of departments. The interpreting ought no longer to be neglected, and we sincercly trust that His Excellency the Gov-ERNOR will take up thomatter in good earnest His known desire to see justice done to the natives should operate to induce him to secure for them an accurate interpretation of their evidence in the Colonial Courts. Under the existing system a miscarriage of justice is

in the performance of his difficult task,

misunderstanding which now arises.

The M. M. steamer Irgounddy, with the next

A magical entertainment was given on Wed- | We have received a private letter from a nesday evening to the children at the Diocesan friend at Cheng-tu Fa, the capital of Szechuan, Home and orphanage by Mr. P. H. Emanuel, dated the 23rd June Ting Pacchen, the new Che-heien offers to buy the eggs of the locusts Several ludies and gentlemen were present on Governor General of that province, late Governor at thirty cash per catty. Shanghai Courier Corthe occasion. The sleight-of-hand tricks per-formed were very good, and greatly interested felt in very much the same way as his namesake the juveniles. During the evening the pupils of Fu-kien. The haughty lucre hunters who have sang some schoolsongs in a very pleasing manner | had such a merry time of it and done so much under the direction of Mr. Arthur, the master.

-The steamer Kjobenhaun returned to Singa- but Governor Ting is a man who takes his time. wreck of the Spanish steamer Gloria, on the the province of its oppressors. Naturns, with a quantity of cargo salved, and The Sin-pao contains a curious advertisement, whom a third have died. The ghosts of the Finance Department, is now completed. by a rocket sent up from the roof of a neighbouring which every new design for a ship of war shall be a sum of the finance Department, is now completed. The ghosts of the finance Department, is now completed. by a rocket sent up from the roof of a neighbouring which every new design for a ship of war shall be a sum of the finance Department. there is every probability of the steamer being signed by a foreigner, the transliteration of whose dead teturn nightly to the house of the man- It is estimated to have cost about 30,000 year. | house, which was followed by the firing of a can- be referred before the construction of the vessel the hole or holes in her bottom could be disco- consisting, of course, of Chinamen, for the dignant shades try to force open his doors and Shizoku, will shortly be formed. yered and plugged. Meantime the Admiralty manufacture of foreign piece-goods; to follow knock long and vainly for admission. I have A small island, called Toshima, lies about 500 two. Popes, each bearing three candles, and Navy, but would also be a strong tower of support. suit with regard to the portion of cargo salved the example of Bombay, in fact, and render been asked if I know of any means of quieting English miles South of Tosa, and is about 116 an attendant acolyte bearing a golden basin full and defence to the Board of Admiralty. Nothing by the German brig Altha is being matured, China independent of Manchester. The capital those necturnal visitors, but not cherishing the English miles in circumference. It is said that of hely water. Into this he dipped a birch would be contends, be taken away from the much to the profit of the lawyers, and we are required is Tls. 200,000. Mr. "Smith's" most pleasant recollections of the man I did not Tominaga, one of the choshin insurgents, who switch, and splashed the faces of the soldiers responsibility of this latter body; but it would informed that there are four claimants to the scheme is a big one, but it has the disadvantage manifest much sympathy for him. On the day rose in rebellion during the latter part of last within his reach as he walked round the ranks, be able to come to its decisions in the full light ownership, first, Captain Habekost for salvage of emanating from a foreigner. Still the Chinese after the explosion he wished me privately to year, was hiding in the island, and holding com- not neglecting, in their turn, a company of Tartar of day instead of the half twilight which now &c., secondly, the underwriters; thirdly, the could never start cotton-mills without foreign prescribe for a wounded servant, but was too munication with Saigo. The latter is said to Cossacks, who happened to be Mussulmans. prevails: The plan followed at the French Ad Spanish Consul for his Government; and, assistance and as these have been long a pet proud to permit me to attend to the case per lave crossed the channel to the case per lave crossed the case per lave

difficult to find, and the little squabbles want of rain; which provents them planting, and whatever. We still have great heat, it is true, weeks ago to inform His Excellency that he Naguhara Denzo, of the Seiken-sha, and Kido minated, and a small payment was charged for and the limit of expenditure which may be inwhich have recently taken place on the sub- causes them to retain their grain in the interior. but the heat is broken; every now and then the must repeat of the wounded. Thou- causes them to retain their grain in the interior. but the heat is broken; every now and then the must repeat of the wounded. Thou- causes them to retain their grain in the interior. Buddhist Komajiro, of the Hokoku-sha, are known as the entrance for the benefit of the wounded. The ject have been simply so many atorms in a fine the news of a rise from sun hides itself and the wind blows freshly from priest at once, people were greatly surprised to fine keisu (three geniuses) of Tosa. The last sands of people, which are the news of a rise from sun hides itself and the wind blows freshly from priest at once, people were greatly surprised to fine keisu (three geniuses) of Tosa. The last sands of people, which one in a sun hides itself and the wind blows freshly from priest at once, people were greatly surprised to fine keisu (three geniuses) of Tosa. The last sands of people, which one in a sun hides itself and the wind blows freshly from priest at once, people were greatly surprised to fine keisu (three geniuses) of Tosa. The last sands of people, which one in a return to private its private and the people were greatly surprised to fine keisu (three geniuses) of Tosa. The last sands of people, which one in a return to private its private in a return to private its private its private its surprised to return to private its pri control over the interpreter, and on this account he appears to think it highly improper days rain has been more abundant, and in certain days rain has been more abundant, and in certain intermission to the middle of September. It was his office. that a better rendering of any sentence districts planting has been commenced. This aterrible time for many, whose constitutions were levy, two naval ongineers of the first class, an should be suggested than the one which first should be should sufficient rain. Otherwise we shall have little comparatively few hot days at all since the war material The city of Kochi is twice as large as Taku. left of her cannons are firing and shells are burst- critics that the Minister of Marine finally

THE NEW PORTUGUESE CONSUL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." SIR, I beg leave to observe that the an nouncement of the appointment of Mr. J. A Barretto as Consul-General for Portugal in this colony, contained in your issue of this morning is inaccurate. Mr. Barrotto has only been aptake of the nature of interference with the pointed Consul of the second class, and not Consul-General. Your belief that the Portuguese community are all very pleased with the selection seems to me premature. Being in daily intercourse with my countrymen, I have not noticed any manifestation of pleasure at the selection, but I have heard expressions of disappointment at the non-confirmation of Mr. A. ( Romano, the Author Consul General. Romano is as much respected among his countrymen as Mr. Barretto, and is much liked for hi liberal and patriotic sentiments. I have good ground for believing that Mr. Romano is victim of priestly intrigue.

I shall feel obliged if you will publish this.—

better form in which he thinks a question Your obedient servant. A PORTUGUESE. Hongkong, 3rd August, 1877.

POLICE COURT

August 3rd. BEFORE THE HON. CHARLES MAY.

MARKET DISTURBANCE. Wong Ahung and another were charged by P.C. 537 with creating a disturbance in the Central Market. They were fined 50 cents each. DEPOSITING RUBBISH IN FORBIDDEN PLACES. P.C. 604 charged Cheong Ahi and another with Morrison's Hill. The first defendant was fined 50 cents, and the second was discharged.

CREATING A DISTURBANCE. Tsoi Ato and another were charged with fighting and creating a disturbance at a hydrant in Tank-lane. They were fined 50 cents each. --A PICKPOCKET.

Ho Aou, a coolie, was charged by H. Spica, a oval Marine on board H.M.S. Victor Emanuel. day the Chief Justice read with stealing a SI note from his pocket in the Queen's Road Central. The prisoner denied the charge. The evidence was, however, conclusive against him, and he was identified by the gaol It authorities as one who had been in the good by would be almost impossible to do this with fore. He was this time sentenced to six months'

THE "MATCHLESS." Charles Gallas, Hans Holem, Jas. Murray seamen, summoned J. E. Dawes, the master the American ship Matchless for unjustly discharging them from their ship in this colony to translate a sentence from English word and for neglecting to give them certificates of same in accordance with Section II of Ordinance

Mr. Dennys appeared on behalf of the defen-The complainant Murray said they shipped in war Cardiff and that \$10 had been given him here. too, will frequently put a question through After further evidence, the defendant was fined

FOOCHOW.

An unusually heavy squall and thunderstorn passed over the Settlement on the 25th ultimo. We hear of two sampans having been capsized. means perfect or what it ought to be, but. To compensate, for the deficiency in yield of Foochow district tea, we have tidings from Hankow that are calculated to dissipate any fond imaginings on the score of demand speedily overtaking supply. Briefly stated, this is the position of affairs at the two great shipping ports-Foothow :- A deficiency of 60,000 chests of Con gou. Hankow:—An excess of 40,000 chests of first crop leaf, and a probable excess of 20,000 chests of second crop leaf; showing an estimated ncrease of 60,000 chests against the correspond.

ing decrease from this port. The London Trade

are not, it is stated, greatly enamoured of the

new red leaf teas, and are in fact turning their.

no means undivided, attention to the Hankow. Riots are reported to have taken place at Kicnning fu. but, as disturbances are constantly would prevent much of the irritation and occurring in that disorderly city; we do not attach much importance to this announcement. The literati of the district are said to be endeavouring to cause as much trouble to Ting Futoi as possible; and it is stated that, taking advan-Courts, calls for revision, and it is the munifest | tage of the prevailing distress, they have incited the people to plunder the public granariesthereby hoping to bring about the Futni's disgrace and ultimate removal from office. But is addition to this resistance to the Provincial Governor, the Kien-ning-ites will not permit foreigners to enter their gates. A few Russian hongs and Missionaries are, it is true, established outside the walls of this favoured city, but none dare enter. The aristocracy of Kien-ning for-

> In the present squally state of the weather, if may not be out of place to raise the question of the relation eclipses bear to typhoons? The It | captain of a vessel at Pagoda Anchorage has sent us the following notes regarding what he considers will be critical times in the China Sea this year. He says, "I do not usually take any notice perigee and new moon occuring with only u few hours difference in time, it is the opinion of many in are the data :- Foochow Time .- August 9th, new moon, 1.17 p.m.; August 9th, sun's perigree. 7-p.m.; August 9th solar sclipse, 4.11 p.m.; September-7th, new moon, 9 p.m.; September 7th. perigee, 5 a.m.; September 7th, solar eclipse

SHANGHAL

Mr. J. C. Myers, late United States Consu General at Shanghai, left here on the 26th ult by the Tokio Maru. It is said that he intends to carry his case before Congress. Captain Hellen, the master of the schooner Lissie, was charged before Mr. R. A. Mowat, on the 27th ult., with using abusive language to Mr. W. Handyside Tapp, H.B.M.'s Registrar of Shipping, in the Shipping Office, on the 24th and 25th alt. Mr. Robinson appeared for the defendant. Mr. Tapp detailed the language used by Robinson contended that no offence had been committed, and urged that Mr. Tapp had inoutward French mail, passed Cape St. James at sufficient grounds for detaining the vessel-as-he-10.30 a.m. yesterday morning bound for Hong- had done. His Worship considered that the defendant had contravened the law, and fined the heavens to pour down benignant rains. We him 35 and costs. Daily News.

> as they pleased during the last ten years, are now trembling in their shoes, expecting to hear from His Excellency with anything but pleasure:

become eventually a fait accompli-

may be given of the same words, some of rice to export this season and without doubt extraction to rice to export this season are the rice to export the rice to export this season are the rice to export the rice t changeableness has been a source of danger, and an enemy some trouble.

there has been a deal of sickness about. Many - It is curious to notice that, in the apartment complaints ore made us to the sheer impossi where several men were killed by an explosion bility of guarding against the sudden and violent some years ago, no work is done; but there is a falls in temperature, and one sees a much larger shrine to the spirits of the deceased. The main number of flannel or profilen trousers and patrol entrance, was changed at that time so that now jackets than used to be the case formerly, the God of Water, and not the God of Fire as simply unsafe, and they are beginning to adopt have occurred a more suitable material for summer wear.

and towards seven c'clock the sky became irradiated by constant flashes of brilliant sum. mer-lightning, which illuminated the entire north-eastern portion of the heavens and caused a very beautiful reflection on the river. About eight, a few drops of rain fell lazily, at intervals, in Fusan harbour, and more than one thousand at a quarter-past, the wind rose to a perfect hurricans, the rain poured down in torrents, and

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." VIA SOUTHERN ROUTE

RELITERS DELICERAMS

LONDON, August 1st. In the House of Commons, in reply to a question, the Chancellor of the Exchanguer stated that no special vote for the despatch of the troops to the Mediterranean was required, and that it was needless to explain our intentions before the pro. suit is due to the establishment of hospital.

rogation of Parliament. There is nothing important from the seat

TIENTSIN

to learn that the climate of that region possesses trade. In former days the merchants to cover every possible case. In fact the climate selling it in secret, and the goods were taken by at all other times it is extremely dry.

himself that the solidity of the ice, the length of plan by which they will be enabled to do so. companied the British army in its advance to that the Coreans are getting industrious. in the West Indies and in India, said that, with the rain, etc. If a mine were opened here it

like planetary orbits, and that there are regions Today the sub-office of Okura & Co. gave

hundred and ten degrees cannot be criticised as translation from Hochi Shimbun. lacking in variety. Although the weather is not subject to those sudden and extreme changes. which characterize that part of the American continent east of the Rocky mountains, the seasons in North China cannot be said to proceed with the uniformity which is not only desirable but Mitsu Bishi Mail Steamship Co. indispensable for the well-being of millions whose sustenance depends upon the regularity of soud time and harvest. Of this lack of uniformity, the present year is an example. Following a year of extreme scarcity and general famine, it natural that the indications of the coming harvest should be watched with the greatest anxiety, The winter snows, and especially the heavy and almost unexampled spring rains, seemed to make the entire absence of any of the usual heavy the vessel on the 20th ult. rains of this season, excite the gravest apprehension of a repetition of the experience of the sale of wine. The city is hung with yellow paper in the shape of boot-jacks, suspended from strings across the streets, and recommending are told that in 1868 the first heavy rain was on the 23th July, but no one cares to wait a week longer simply for the sake of precedent. The

NANKING

The surviving victims of the powder explosion last month have received from the Vicercy Tla. 4 each; while Tls. 12 have been given to the should not be interfered with.

People find that garments made of drill are hitherto, has free access. Thus no more accidents The frequent rains during the past few weeks A sudden and violent thunderstorm burst have kept the locusts in subjection, and we hear over the settlements on Sunday evening, the comparatively little about them -Shanghai 2nd ult. The day had been oppressively hot, Courier Correspondent,

Thirty Japanese merchant vessels are always and the clouds gathered thick and fast. Then, natives are continually wandering about the Japanese nettlement day by day. Especially during such time as the landing of rice and all doors and windows had to be fast closed barley from ships do the poorer people and For about fifteen minutes the storm continued beggars swarm together round the wharves with great violence, and several orashes were something like ants about an earth worm. A heard, which suggested much damage among necessary result of this swarming is that, among the tiles. The tempest ceased as unexpectedly themselves, fighting is quite common, and someas' it had begun; but in that short time times they fight so severely that blood flows from Turkish army are, says the Pall Mall Gazette, so the greater part of the settlement had been their bodies. K'wan Cho (the Japanese office in strange to the ordinary European ear that the flooded. The Cathedral close was transformed the settlement) always sends a number of at- following list of both the commissioned and noninto a lake from four to seven inches deep; the taches when there is such a crowd, for the commissioned ranks of the service, with their Bund and many other streets were similarly purpose of watching them, therefore the at English equivalents, may be useful for reference: inundated, and stood for some time under water, topdants are always very busy. But a few Among the general officers are included the It seemed almost incredible that so short a rainfall days ago an officer of Torai Fu (Corean Serdar Ekrem, or commander in chief, an appointshould have had such an extraordinary effect department) came to our settlement and took ment which is only made when an army is in the During the evening the water receded, and by away forty or fifty beggers, informing them field; the Mushir, or field-marshal; the Ferik, or ten o'clock the lakes had disappeared, leaving that the native barley had bearded already lieutenant-general; and the Liva, or majortolerably practicable thoroughfares in their so that they would be able to have food, and that general. All officers of any of these ranks also place. Several sampans came floating up the they must not give trouble to foreigners. After bear the title of Pashs. The field officers are river, keel uppermost, and such yachts and that for a brief space, no Corean beggar made the Miri Alaj, or colonel; the Kaimakan, or houseboats as were exposed to the full force of his appearance at the time of landing goods. lieutenant-colonel-both with the title of Bey: the gale had a very severe time of it. The river But when a few days had elapsed they gradually the Alaj-Emini, or major; and the Bim-Bachi, was lashed into waves of enormous size and came back again, though not in such munbers or battalion commander. The regimental officers strength, junks were dismasted in all directions, as before. From the latter part of May the are the Klogasi, or vice-major; the Juz-Bachi, or and it is to be feared that there was much loss weather was continually good and consequently company commander; the Mulazimi-Evvel, or first of life among the Chinese floating population, the barley bearded very well. But the poor lieutenant, and the Mulazimi-Zani, or second people could not wait until the proper time of lieutenant. The non-commissioned ranks comthe barley before they were ripe. This they did or sergeant major; the Sira Tshaush, or sergeant; Temeraire at Chatham, a few days since, he was lower. But it is very pleasant for us to know | water-carrier. that we are not likely to home any name of deaths occurring from starvation, at least at present. The Japanese hospital in the settlement has

always been full of sick natives. During last May there were about thirty Coreans who requested us to take them into treatment. Still the pestilence is prevailing, but it has greatly ost its influence. Among the Japanese some tens have suffered from this evidence, but fortunately no life has been lost. This happy re-We heard that the Corean government is

manufacturing two pieces of money-one is worth ten cash while another is worth fifteen cash. It was their intention to carry out this coinage last year, but it takes a long time to make up their minds to do anything. Funor (a kind of sea-weed, used for glazing and starching) is produced chiefly at Chinto, of Jenra Strangers visiting North China are surprised Do. This is one of the important items in the singular quality of extreme dryness and ex. I sushima gained great profit from trading in it: cessive dampness. They find whatsoever pheno, and they took large quantities three times in a mena cannot be conveniently explained, referred year. It is customary to hand over money to to the 'dampness of the climate,' and to the some trustworthy Gorean and let him collect dryness of the climate, so that dry dampness' funori. But frequently, he runs sway with the becomes a comprehensive noun, sufficiently elastic money or, in many cases, they were punished for

during the rainy season is excessively damp, and the Corean Customs. Since the harbour was opened for the Japanese this oppressive custom Different phases of this climate have attracted of former days was to have been taken away. the notice of foreigners for two hundred years. But still the obnoxious usage remains, so that Tather Rips, a Catholic missionary who came to many complaints about money matters are China in 1710, mentions in his memoirs that sent in to the civil office. And also, unfor-Count Ismailof, the Russian ambassador, told tunately, the funori last spring was entirely used him that he and all his suite had been obliged to for food in consequence of the famine. The add garments to those they had been accustomed second season has now commenced, but the to wear, as the cold was far more intense in Japanese merchants are afraid to hand over money Peking than at Moscow. On the other hand to the Coreans and let them collect the produce Abbé Grosier, another Catholic authority, also as they used to do, because most of them are resident at Peking declares that "he does not conducting themselves like robbers on account feel that sharp and pinching cold which ac. of the famine. The vendors of funoriare desirous companies the production of ice in Europe." to sell it in secret, but there are no native receivers his Father seems to have conducted a series who have been intrusted with capital, that is who f experiments with a block of ice suspended have been requested to gather in the scores by by a string, to ascertain the length of the Japanese merchant. Both Japanese and time in which a certain number of pounds of Corosus are applicus to trade in this article, in ice would meit. He succeeded in satisfying spite of the chatacles, and are considering some gate sum of 47,177,663 marks, or £2,358,888. time which provisions will keep without spuiling The best kind of Iriko (trepang or biche-deand the general freedom of the people from mer) is produced at To-k'wan, and Isan, in Keisho epidemics, are all due to the presence of nitre Do. This year the substance was taken un from in the water, air, and earth. Thus much for the sea in large quantities, such as have not been opinions of the winter. Dr. Rennie, who ac- seen in previous years. Therefore we can observe Peking in 1860, records under date of 17th June, has been discovered at Riote in Kei Sin. In ex-1861, the rise of the thermometer to 101 degrees amining that article we found it had been exposed since, and observes that Dr. Ross who had served was quite gone, having been washed away by

the exception of one day at St. Thomas', he had is evident that coal of good quality would be no recollection of ever having such an amount of found. But in general the Coreans do not direct heat as during two days in Peking in the like to dig into the mountains, because on every mountain there are gravevards. It will be diffi Every one is aware that altitude is a much cult to persuade them to open mines unless this more efficient factor in the production of mean foolish prejudice is abandoned, and, although we temperature than latitude, but making all allow. explained the profit that would be derived from suces for known laws, it must be admitted that a coal mine, our advice had about the same effect sothermal lines are not susceptible of calculation upon them as the wind upon the ears of a heree which they assume the general direction of sway fifty koku of harley to the natives in the neighbourhood of Fusan on the occasion of the A climate ranging through a breadth of one establishment of the company. - Tokio Times

YOKOHAMA.

We hear that the steamer Montgomerushire and the barque Union have been sold to the The Akobono Shimbun roports that the Mitsu Bishi Company is about to establish an arsenal and dockvard at Funakoshi, between Yokoska and Kanazawa. The survey estimate puts the expense of the dockward alone at 500,000 yen. The Italian corvetto Cristofero Colombo, arrived here at 1.30 p.m. on the 18th ultimo from

The Government are making laudable and succossful efforts toward the attainment of one of the and Sashiki in Satsuma.

Earthquakes of some intensity have been. this time of year, unusually prevalent lately. A smart shock was felt on the evening of the 22nd altimo at seven minutes to five. Its duration was experienced at laif-past twelve on the 23rd

oard .- Japan Gazette.

Takushima is like Osaka — Japan Garette.

SEAMEN'S REMEDY AGAINST SEA. SICKNESS.

Professor Xavier Landerer, of Athens, says rust adhering to the anchor and anchor chain is thirty hands. soraped off and administered. At the same time been oured by this treatment.

THE TURKISH MILITARY SERVICE

The appellations of the several grades in the harvest, and commenced to take in the ears of price the following grades:- The Bach-Tshansh, now half-beardoff ears may be purchased in the Emini, or quartermaster-sergeant. Finally, the town. In consequence of this the market price rank and file have the following grades .- Nefer. of barley at our settlement has become much or private; Moshter, or musician; and Sakka, or

THE GERMAN NAVY.

The ironclad frigate Kaiser, 7,559 tonnage dis. in the fleet. The nomenclature of the subjectplacement, 8,000 horse-power engines, armed has been revised, and the terms used in the book with eight 26-centimetre and one 17-centimetre issued are to be strictly adhered to both in speak. Krupp guns, was begun in December, 1871, and ing and writing on matters connected with launched on the 19th of March, 1874. The total tornedoes. sum expended upon her up to the end of 1875 carrying eight 21-centimetre Krupp guns, was then to the works noticed in the original estilaunched on the 19th of September, 1875, of 3.925 tons displacement, 4,800 horse-power, and there- and Britain. fort, a larger and presumably also a faster vessel than the Hanse, cost only 2.170.576 marks. or £108.528. Altogether the twenty new vessels which have been recently added to the Garman navy had cost, at the end of 1875, an aggre

A FETE AT TIPLIS.

A Times' correspondent, writing from Tiffis on June-3rd, says :- Yesterday was a great day served on the Indian and New Holland stations for the people of Tiflis. In the morning there between 1825 and 1829. Some years afterwas a grand display in commemoration of the wards he performed a feat of scamanship conquest of the Western Caucasus. In the of which he was justly proud. While there was a display of fireworks in aid of the a reef of rocks on the Labrador coast, and was wounded in the war.

There are two days in the year which are her across the Atlantic with a sprung foremas colebrated with unusual colat at Tiffis every year and without a keel, forefoot, or rudder, though -the 2nd of June (I slways give dates accord the ship was making twenty-three inches of water ing to the New Style), when the subjugation of an hour. This fact has often been cited as an the Western Caucasus was completed, and the instance of the resources and skill, to say nothing 5th of September, the date on which the great of the courage, of seamen of the old school. It Chieftain, Schamyl, was betrayed at his im was as a sportsman, however, that Admiral Rous pregnable fortress of Gounip, by his dearest will be best remembered. For close upon forty friend—an event which completed the conquest years he may be said to have been almost supreme

The demonstration vesterday was made in the Place d'Erivan, a large square which serves and good sonso. He has been a steward of the every morning as a market-place for wood, charcoal, and vegetables, and which is the restingplace of buffalo-earts from Wladicaucis and camel caravans from Erivan. One end of this square is occupied by the opera-house, which was men have been more prominent in Lendon society. lately burnt down, and at the other end stands the principal church of the town. Along the sides of the square are ranged row of houses and shops, among which stands the Hotel de l'Europe, from a balcony of which I witnessed the coremony. The excitement commenced at half-past 7 in the and to line the sides of the square. At the end

the Grand Duke.

all these sights enthusiastically

NAUTICAL ITEMS

Fears are intertained respecting the safet of the fine new clipper ship Arthurstone, which sailed from Dandee on the 10th of December according to the London Medical Record) that last for San Francisco, and has now been 192 very popular remedy against this ailment, in days on a voyage which ordinarily occupies 120. common use among mariners in the Levant, is The Arthurstone was on her first voyage, and the daily internal use of iron. This is obtained is a ship of 1,200 tons, and carried a cargo of in a very primitive way—a portion of the iron—general goods and a crew of twenty-eight or

With the annual increase of traffic in the Red a small pouch, containing roasted salt and flowers | Sea. it is satisfactory to find that the number of of thyme, is tied upon the region of the navel as lights is also increasing. On the 1st June last. firmly as can be borne. This is said to lessen a fixed dioptrio light, seventy-six feet above high and gradually to subduct he antiperistalic motions | water, and visible at a distance of fourteen of the stomach caused by the rolling of the vessel. miles, was lighted on the new lighthouse lately This preparation was already known to the built on the mainland at Berbera in the gulf of ancient Greeks as "thymian salt." M. Landerer Aden. Since that date also certain light dies says that he knows several seamen who have are levied on all vessels entering the port of

The Admiralty have issued an instruction apparently in view of the Thunderer accident, in which it is declared that when engines and boilers are to be tried which are received from the contractors, the trial is to be under the control of the contractors, and they are to be solely responsible. But the trial is to take place in strict accordance with the dackyard regulations. After having made an official request to the diekyard that the trial may be permitted, the chief engineer is to see that the stop valves are opened. and the safety valves worked. Precautions. which are set forth in detail, are to be taken to see that all those valves are in order. Further instructions are given as to the trials of ma-

chinery cenerally. - The Manchester Guardian's London corr spondent writes .- "I understand that instructions have been issued by the Government to the authorities at the dockyards and arsenals to be careful in future in the latitude allowed to foreign officers permitted to make a general inspection. In no case must they be allowed to examine manufacturing processes or the improvements which it is intended to introduce in the goar of turret slips. When Lieutenant Kazkazoff (Ad. miral Popoff's gunnery-lieutenant) visited the. reatly surprised at the refusal to allow him to examine the turret, and left without inspecting any other portions of the vestel. A regulation recently published by the Aus.

trian Admiralty prescribes that every ironelad in the Imperial navy, every frigate, and the corvetto the Danille shall be forthwith supplied with four towing torpedoes for actual service. and with two addional ones for exercising pur-A carefully prepared return laid by the Im- poses, together with all the necessary fittings, perial German Naval Administration before the At the same time the Marine Section of the War Budget Commission gives the cost of the more Ministry has published a small handbook on recently constructed ships of the German navy, torpedoes, which is to be issued to every officer

An amended programme of works to be underamounted to 8,150,669 marks or about £417,533. taken in Her Majesty's dockyards and by con-He sister ship, the Doutschland, also begun in trust has been issued in substitution for the pro-December, 1871, but not launched until the 12th gramme in the Navy Estimates. The item of of September, 1874, cost, also including all ex- £430,455 for steam-machinery for ships is ad. penses incurred up to the end of 1875, £368.518, vanced to £487,233; the sum of £394.205 for or7,370,374 marks. The Preussen, avesselof 6,663 | ships building by contract is reduced to £305,517; tons displacement, 5,400 horse-power, and carrying and the cost of repairs of ships at other than four 26 and two 17 centimetre Krupp guns, was Her Mujesty's dockyards is advanced from begun in August, 1871, and launched on the 22nd 230,000 to £65,000. It appears from the statef November, 1873. Her total cost amounted to ments of shipbuilding work and steam machi-5.290.231 marks, or £264.516. Her sister ship | nery works to be executed by contract that the again, the Friedrich der Grosse, began in May, new composite sloops of the Wild Steam class. 871, and launched on the 20th September, 1874. the two new composite gan-vessels of the Kes. cost 4,905,674 marks, or £245,738. The Grosser | trel class, the three new gurdrents of the Mallard. Kurfürst, sister ship to the two latter, begun in class, and the twelve tornedo lighters. Nos. 5 to December, 1869, and knunched on the 17th of 16 inclusive, are all to be abandoned; while two September, 1875, cost 3,794,318 marks, or new fast torpedo vessels, of 175-horse power. £189,765. The armoured correcte Hansa, of each weighing only six tons, are to be com-3,553 tons displacement. 3,000 horse-nower | menced and completed by contract, and in addibegun in October, 1868, and launched in 1872. mates, the engines of H.M.S. Hercules, Triumph. her total cost amounting to 3,665,412 marks, or Invincible, Monarch, and Lively, are to be re-£183.775. The unarmoured corvettes are natu- paired by contract. Among the other works to rally less expensive. For instance, the wooden be done are the completion of the repairs to the screw corvette Leipzig, began in 1873 and Monarch, the repair of the Lively, and the advance of the repairs to the Prince Albert, Thelia.

Admiral Rous, the veteral sportsman, died at

his house in Berkeley-square, on the 19th June. Admiral the Hon. Henry John Rous was the second son of the late Earl of Stradbroke, and was born in January, 1795, so that he has passed away in his eighty-third year. In 1808 he entored the Navy, and served as a midshipman in the expedition to Flushing. He afterwards was appointed to the Bacchante, under Sir W. Hoste, and received a medal for bravery in various boat actions and land expeditions. In 1823 he was made captain, and in command of the Rainhow evening the public gardens were illuminated, and in command of the Pique, she struck on much damaged. Captain Rous, however, brought as an authority upon the Turf; and it was a supremacy marked by the most perfect fairness Jockey Club almost uninterruptedly, we believe since 1838, and his work on "The Laws and Practice of Horse Racing "procured for him the title of the "Blackstone of the Turf." Few

and few will be more missed. The subject of free trade in ships has of late been freely discussed by the American pross, and bas been debated by boards of trade and similar bodies. The debates and discussions have, however, been chiefly confined to the single point of morning, when troops began to enter the Place | the removal of the existing restrictions upon the purchase of foreign-built vessels. On this quesof the square, next to the Opera-house, an awning | tion the Nation observes that, while it believes capable of covering 100 people had been erected that the prohibition of purchase is an absurdity Kobe, having on board His Excellency the Italian | the previous day. Behind this, and along the in legislation, and should be removed at the Minister, who was presented to the Mikado, at sides of the square, all the troops available in earliest moment possible, it fails to perceive in the crop secure. But the plague of locusts, and Kioto, with the captain and two of the officers of Tiflis, to the number of about 4,000, were ranged what way its removal would have so great an in order, while on each side of the church a effect upon trade as some of its advocates enmilitary band was stationed. At 9 o'clock the thusiastically prophesy. England does most of Grand Duke Michel Nicolaiewitch, followed by the American carrying trade, and probably does last year. There has been no rain for a best objects of their ambition, the connection by his son and members of the Staff, drove up to it as cheaply as the Americans would if they month. The officials are beginning to pray for inlearnable wires of all-towns in the empire. A the colonade in front of the church, and, after owned and sailed the vessels. Even, therefore, rain, and the Che-halen has issued the usual pro; line has now been carried between Yajiro in Higo saluting the Archbishop, proceeded to inspect if allowed to purchase their ships, it is doubtful the troops. This lasted for a quarter of an hour, whether many persons in the United States for during which time the men were repeatedly would avail themselves of the privilege. The called on to give a cheer for the Emperor or for removal of the restriction, moreover would not directly encourage shipbuilding in that country When this was finished the Grand Duke and any more than putting it on filled American was about thirty-five seconds. Another shock his officers returned to the church, and while shipyards with busy mechanics, as the advocates the regimental bands played the grand Russian of that measure hoped would be the case. National Anthem, a procession of 20 Popes, Whenever America can build ships as good as The report of the Home and Foreign Market bearing banners and lamps, proceeded along the England builds, and can afford to soll them for Prices states that the time for the sale of silk. length of the square, followed by a band of cho- the same or a less price, they will then have worms' ery cards is approaching. 3.180,000 risters, behind whom followed the Grand Duke's their share of the world's trade in ships, and will cards are to be issued by the Government. More party. The Popes were clothed in the long, not need to purchase them of a foreign country than one third will be sold to foreigners. The stiff stoles which spread out in a conical form, But it may be well to remember ability to build price is estimated at an average of 50 sen per and give to the wearer the appearance of an orns. ships does not by any means ensure cargoes to. mented extinguisher. When the National An. put in them when built, although the contrary them was completed the choristers commenced a of this appears to be assumed by many of those processional hymn, which lasted until they reached, who are now clamouring for free trade in ships. the awning. One end of this improvised church In a letter lately published in The Times, Six was occupied by the cierical element, the other by Spencer Robinson advocates the establishment of injured is said to have been sixty-three, of The new residence of H.E. Okuma, Minister | the military. The service was suddenly terminated at the Admiralty of an examining council, to In CK | name suggests the honourable patronymic Smith. darin who owned the powder, and disturb his It is rumored, says the Akchono Shimbun, that | non, exactly at the instant (9.30 a.m.) when the is finally proceeded with. He urges that such a cellent condition and would float off herself if His object is to start a company at Shangliai, slumbers by their unearthly noises. These in- a new division of the army, consisting of 6,000 event which was being celebrated had occurred. council, if properly constituted, would not only After this the Archbishop advanced, preceded by be a great protection to the Constructor of the fourthly, the company who bought the wreck idea of Ch'ung hou, it is possible that they may sonally. If the ghosts wish to visit him they Meanwhile, another rumour states that, before from the awning to the church to the music of very similar to that advocated by Sir Spencer. Hitoyoshi castle was taken by the imperialists, the two bands. Then the Grand Duke spoke a Robinson. In the first place, the Minister People are beginning gravely to believe that The Vicercy does no seem to experience more Saigo left for the island of Toshima, where he had few words to the men and asked for a cheer for of Marine is assisted by soveral consultative the climate of Shanghai is changing. It is trouble than usual, notwithstanding the pre- lived many years in exile during the Shogun's their brave brother soldiers. He next took his committees, chief among which is the Conwhose interpretation would give entire satisfaction to bench and bar would be extremely difficult to find, and the little satisfaction to find, and the little satisfaction to find, and the little satisfaction to find. The little satisfaction to find and the little satisfaction to find an antiquation to VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

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| Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight3/115<br>Credits, at 6 months' sight3/115<br>Documentary Bills, at 6 months'   | MOHAIR SICILIANS. WHITE and COLOURED HAMBURG   | HAMBURG Lord Ma NEW YORK Hannah NEW YORK Matchle   | Law Robert Greig Hongkong Yog   | rel. Hagedorn & Co Quick despatch.<br>rel. Hagedorn & Co Quick despatch.<br>rel. Hagedorn & Co Quick despatch.   | FOR LONDON.  HE 100 Al German Ship   |
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| Private, 30 days' sight  | BLACK GRENADINE, Guaranted to wear well.   | SAN FRANCISCO  | str.) W. D. Trimble Hongkong Vog  | el, Hagedorn & Co Quick despatch.<br>b, Livingston & Co On or about 13th inst.   | Hongkong, 11th July, 1877. [1087] FOR LONDON.  |
| Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-37 percent, promium.   | NEW GOUDS.   | SAIGON, SINGAPORE, &c. Pei-ho (  | tr.) Lecointro Hongkong Mes   | ario & Co  | THE A1 British Bark "ROBERT HENDERSON,"  |
| Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$775 per<br>share.<br>China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares—  | and MORNING WRAPPERS.  | PORTLAND BATAVIA Maipu   | Fewle. Hongkong Rus Andrews Hongkong Hol  | sell & Co  | Gunn, Master, will lead for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.  For Freight, apply to                             |
| \$2,700 per share.  Yangtsze Insuranco Association—Tls. 705 per  | FANCY STRIPED FRENCH PRINTED   |  | tr.) Rolland Hongkong Mes   | MacG. Heaton To day, at noon. sageries Maritimes Quick despatch. Quick despatch.   | VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.<br>Hongkong, 12th June, 1877. [900]  |
| share. Chinese Insurance Company—\$235 per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares—  | MUSLINS.  KANDA and YOSEMITE STRIPED   | SHANGHAI Iraouade SHANGHAI Peshawa   | ly (str) Boule  | sageries Maritimes Quick despatch.   | FOR NEW YORK.  THE Al American Ship  |
| S585 per share.  China Fire Insurance Company's Shares \$150   | WHITE and COLOURED NIAGARA   | SWATOW, AMOY, & TAMSUI   Hailoon,  | g (str.) Abbott Hongkong Dou  | iglas Lapraik & Co To-morrow, at noon  | J. C. Dawes, Master, will load for the above   |
| Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company's Shares—24 per cent. discount.  |  | FOR SALE.  | FOR SALE.   | VESSELS ON THE BERTH.  | Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to  |
| Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares—10 per cent. discount.  | FRENCH PERCALES and CRETONNE   | HIGHEST AWARD AND PRIZE MEDAL,   | NOTICE.   | FOR MANILA.  | Hongkong, 29th June, 1877. [1016]  |
| Shanghai Steam Navigation Company—Tla. 30 per share.  Hougkong Gas Company's Shares—\$75 per   | COLOURED DRESS LAWNS   | OAKEY and SON'S EMERY and BLACK-<br>LEAD MILLS.  | THE Undersigned Shop has been ESTA-<br>BLISHED OVER THIRTY YEARS; its Master<br>has spared no efforts in PRESERVING   |  | THE A1 British Ship "HANNAH LAW,"  |
| share. Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—\$60 per  | GALATEA STRIPES and LINEN MATS   | WESTMINSTER BRIDGE ROAD, LONDON, ENGLAND.  AKEYS' WELLINGTON KNIFE POLISH.   | FRUITS with the Best Materials at a Fixed Price, hence the World-wide Reputation of his   | will be despatched for the above Port TO-<br>DAY, the 4th instant, at Noon.  | Robert Greig, Master, will load here and will have quick despatch.   |
| Chinese Imperial Loan—£103. Ex. 4s. 11d.   | NEW DESIGNS in LINEN, CAMBRIC, and   | O AKEYS' INDIA RUBBER KNIFE BOARDS, from 1s. 6d. each.   | Preserves. Having noticed that certain impudent Persons are imposing upon the Public with Spurious Articles, he begs to state that he has                         |  | For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, 4th June, 1877. [848]  |
| SALES ON AUGUST SRD, AS REPORTED BY CHINESE. Vermicelli—50 bags, at \$9.70, by Kwong.  | PIQUE COSTUMES.  EMBROIDERED HOLLAND, PRINTED  | MERCURIAL),  | Established No BRANCH SHOP ANYWHERE, and that Purchasers are requested to observe   | Hongkong, 1st August, 1877. [1191-   | NOTICE.  |
| -we-chang to travelling trader Chamois Horns-50 catties, at \$166.00, by   | CAMBRICS, WHITE BRILLIANTE, and  | Plate-Glass, Marbie, &c. Tablets, 6d. ench.  | carefully the Name Quang CHEONG ATTAI on<br>the lids of the jars, and QUANG CHEONG ATTAI<br>on the lids of the boxes.   | THE Steamship  | COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.  |
| Kwong-wo-cheung to travelling trader.  Gum Olibanum—50 bags, at \$2.75, by Kwong- wing-shing to travelling trader.   | DADING TRIMMED and CHILDINGED  | FLOUR,  AKEYS' EMERY AND GLASS CLOTH.  | QUANG CHEONG ATTAL Canton<br>Hongkong, 2nd August, 1877. [4w1206]   | Captain Abbott, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 5th instant, at Day-   | STEAM FOR  |
| Fungus—25 bags, at \$36.50, by Kwong-wing-<br>shing to travelling trader.  | just arrived from Paris.   | OAKEYS' CABINET GLASS PAPER, WEL-<br>LINGTON BLOCK BLACKLEAD, &c.  | UTLER, PALMER & Co.'s   | For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.   | SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT<br>DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMALIA,<br>PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND                                |
| White Wax—5 pieces, at \$74.80, by Kwong-<br>wing-shing to travelling trader.<br>Cotton—60 bags, at \$17.00, by Kwong-wing   | CHILDREN'S WHITE PIONE WASHING   | OAKEYS' GOODS SOLD EVERYWHERE by<br>Ironmongers, Grocers, Oilmen, Brushmakers,<br>Druggiste, &c. [52i 280]   | Celebrated Erands of WINES and SPIRITS. Apply to  | Hongkong, 3rd August, 1877. [1208.<br>OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.   | MARSEILLES;  |
| shing to travelling trader.  Gypsum—200 piouls, at 75 cents, by Chun-  | LADIES and CHILDREN'S UNDER-   | The state of the s | SIEMSSEN & Co.<br>Hongkong, 21st June, 1876. [tf941   | FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.  | BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND<br>PORT LOUIS.  |
| chong to travelling trader.  Mushrooms—5 cases, at \$42.00, by Chunchong to travelling trader.   | THE ALL IS HOUSE, CHOALES, HOUSE,  | HATS AND HELMETS.  | THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in  |  | ON SATURDAY, the 4th August, 1877, ot Noon, the Company's Steamship PDI-HO," Commandant Lecountre, with                      |
| Black Pepper—200 bags, at \$8.80, by Yuen-fat<br>to travelling trader.   | FEATHERS FLOWERS LACES   | J. ELLWOOD & SONS.  VELVET, BEAVER, and FELT HAT MANUFACTURERS.  Sole Inventors, Patentees, and Manufacturers of the   | Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. Ten-<br>NENT, Glasgow, and Messrs. DAVID CORSAR &<br>SONS, Arbroath.  | will be despatched on or about the 3rd August.  For Freight or Passage, apply to   | MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above   |
| mow to travelling trader.  | SUNSHADES and UMBRELLAS. WHITE and STRIPED SILK, THREAD,   | Universally acknowledged as so great a boon by<br>all Residents in Hot Climates.   | ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.<br>Hongkong, January, 1867. [tf419]  | BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.<br>Hongkong, 30th July, 1877. [1142]  | Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon-<br>don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in                               |
| HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.  | end COTTON HOSE. CHILDREN'S THREAD and COTTON  | 24, GREAT CHARLOTTE STREET.<br>405 52i] LONDON, S.E. [Mar. 31]<br>PERFUMERY.   | YEE SUNG & Co., COAL MERCHANTS,   | THE Eastern and Australian Mail Steam<br>Company's Steamer   | transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.   |
| (FROM MESSIS, FALCONER & Co.'s REGISTER.)  | SOCKS.  INDIA and HORROCKS' LONG CLOTHS.  DRESSMAKING and MILLINERY.   | & E. ATKINSON'S White Rose and other Sachet Powders.   | Have always on hand Large Stocks of every description of Coal.  | will be despatched as above on or about the 13th   | Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 3rd August, 1877. (Parcels are not to be sent   |
| Baronuter—9 A.M  | by First-class Hands.  | Rose Toilet Powder, Transparent Scap, Tollet<br>Vinegur: Prize Medals—London, Paris, Vienza,<br>Cordova, Lima, Philadelphia. Sold by all first-  | Address, care of Hoo-TY-LOONG & Co., No. 43,<br>Praya, Hongkong.<br>Hongkong, 9th May, 1877. [719   | For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co   | on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are                                      |
| Thermometer DAM 300  | SAYLE AND CO.,   | class dealers throughout the World.  J. & E. A T K I N S O N,  24, Old Bond-street, London.  | YACHTS, AND LAUNCHES,   | Agents.  Hongkong, 2nd August, 1877. [1203]  | For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.  |
| Thermometer—1 P.M. (Wet bulb)  | QUEEN'S ROAD, AND STANLEY STREET   | The genuine guaranteed by TRADE MARK—"A White Rose on Golden Lyre," printed in seven colours.  [A171 662—3]  | WOOD, IRON, OR STEEL  |  | H. DU POUEY,<br>Agent.   |
| Thermometer—i P.R. (Wet bulb) 89 Thermometer—Maximum (over night) 82 Thermometer—Minimum (over night) 82   | HONGKONG;<br>AND AT SHANGHAL   | DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA.  The best remedy for   | Paddle Steamers having draughts down to 6 inches of water.  MACHINERY CONSTRUCTED FOR BOATS BUILT ARROAD.   | COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES<br>MARITIMES.<br>PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.   | Hongkong, 24th July, 1877.  U. S. MAIL LINE.   |
| Thermonater Statement Colds and any statement of   | FOR SALE, PER 1 DOZEN QUARTS.  | ACIDITY of the STOMACH, HEARTHBURN, HEADACHE, GOUT, and INDIGESTION, and the best mild aperient for delicate constitutions.  | YARROW & HEDLEY).   | THE Company's Steamship  | PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.  |
| CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL<br>REGISTER   | TOBAR & Co.'s SHERRY, White Seal   | Ladles, Children, and Infants, and for regular use in Warm Climates. DINNEFORD&CO.   | ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS, ISLE OF DOGS, POPLAR, LONDON- Prospectuses may be obtained at the Office of this  | Commandant Rolland, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA  | THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-<br>LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT   |
| YESTERDAY'S TELEGRAMS.   | Bisquit Dubouche & Co.'s Brandy  | Chemists, London, and of Druggists and Storo's separathroughout the world.  N.B.—Ask for DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA.   | Journal. [A26i 801 May 26th.  | shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail.   | YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.  |
| HONG AROY, SHANG NADA-   | BURGUNDIES.  | [7 Ap In consequence of Spurious Imitations of   | Horningsham, near Warminster, Wilts   | H. DV POUEY, Agent. Hongkong, 1st August, 1877. [1189]   | PEKING" will be despatched for San<br>Francisco, vil Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the  |
| HAROMETER,   | NUIT. Pints (2 dozen)  | LEAAND PERRINS' SAUCE,   | "I must also beg to say that your Pills are an ex-<br>cellent Medicine for me, and I certainly do only.<br>good health, sound sleep, and a good appetite; this is | NOTICE.  | 4th August, 1877, at 3 P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and                                 |
| Proving A at 4 a a date of the | CHAMBERTIN, Pints (2 doz.)) \$16   | which are calculated to deceive the Public, Lea and PERRINS have adopted A N E W. L A B E L.   | owing to taking your Pills. I am 78 years old. "Bemaining Gentlemen, yours very respectfully, L.S. "To the Proprietors of Nowion's Camonille Pills,               | COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  MARITIMES.  PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.   | Through Passenger Tickets and Bills of<br>Lading are issued for transportation to Yoko-                                      |
| Barometer 10.87 29.84 22.76 29.77 — — — —  | MULLER FRERES' ST. JULIEN  | LEAANDPERRINS, which is placed on every bottle of  | London. [A26i I363 Aug. 26.]  CAUTION.  **E. MARTELL'S BRANDY.  | A service of the serv | hama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco,<br>to ports in Mexico, Central and South America,                              |
| Thermometer attached 88.0 95.0   | VERMOUTH, 1 dozen Quarts   | WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, and without which none is gonnino.   | • It having come to our knowledge that sparious imitations are imported. Consumers should be careful to see that they obtain the gendinearticle with our Brand.   |  | and to New York and Europe, via Overland Railways.  A Steamer of the Mitsu Bishl S.S. Company                                |
| Force B T S S  | Passito, I dozen Quarts \$7  Moscato, I dozen Quarts \$7  Nebiolo Mousseux, I dozen Quarts \$8   | Ask for LEA and PERRINS' Sauce, and see<br>Name on Wrapper, Label, Bottle, and   | which is to be had of all respectable Dealers. Agents:  Matthew Clark & Sons, 72, Great Tower Street, London.  52; 494 Mar. 31]  MARTELL & Co.                    | SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe.  | will leave Shanghai, via the Inland Sea Ports, about same date, and make close-connection at                                 |
| Dry Thermometer  | VICOMTE DE LA PEYRIERE   | Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worces-   | THE DOLL OF THE ATT AT THE TREET OF   | H. DU POUEY, Agent. Hongkong, 1st August, 1877. [1190]   | At New York, Passengers have selection of various lines of steamers to England, France,                                      |
| Weather b.c. b.c. b. b. Hour's Rain  | CHAMPAGNE.  CARTE BLANCHE, 1 dozen Quarts \$7  HESSE & Co.   | Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Grosse and Blackwell, London, &c., &c. and by Greeors and Oilmon throughout the World. [52 1795]  CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S   | STOURPORT, ENGLAND. S H E E T I R O N.  | STEAM TO YOKOHAMA  THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship   | and Germany.  Freight will be received on board until 4 F.M.   |
| Quantity fallon  | Hongkong, 18th July, 1877. [1097<br>FOR SADE.  | CELEBRATED OILMEN'S STORES,<br>Nine Prize Medals, Paris, Vienns, and   | Branded "BALDWIN WILDEN,"   | BOMBAY"  | on the 3rd of August. Parcel Packets will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day                                    |
| BAROMETER, level of the see in inches, tens, and hundreds.  THERMOMETER, in Fahrenheit degrees and tens, kept in the open air in a shaded situation.   | COTTAGE PIANOS.  | Philadelphia.  PICKLES AND SAUCES.  JAMS AND JRIJLES.  | TIN PLATES,   |  | all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.  Consular Invoices to accompany Overland |
| DIRECTION OF WIND is registered every two points, N.,  | Apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 31st May, 1877. [tf831]  | CRANGE MARMALADE. TARE PROTES DESERT (MUTE) PURE SALAD OIL   | Branded "EP & WB" "WH "WILDEN."   | ADAM LIND Cuperintendents  | Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector                                |
| FORCE ON WIND.—0 calm. 1 to 3 light breeze, 3 to 5 moderate. 5 to 7 fresh. 7 to 8 strong. 8 to 10 heavy. 10 to 12 violent.   | J. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE and PORTER.  | MUSTARD. VINEGAR, POTTED MEATS AND FISH. FRESH SALMON AND HERRINGS: HERRINGS A LA SARDINE.   | "UNICORN," "ARLEY," "STOUR."  | Hongkong, 2nd August, 1877. [1198] STEAM TO SHANGHAI, TIME P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship   | of Customs at San Francisco.  For security's sake, Shippers of Overland Cargo are requested to enderse on the Envelope       |
| STATE OF WEATHERB. Clear blue sky. C. Cloudy. D. Drizzly. F. Fog. G. Foggy. H. Hall. L. Lightning. M.  | DAVID CORSAR & SONS' Morehant Nevy   | PREPARED SOUPS, IN TIME  | STAMPING SHEETS,<br>BUTTON IRON,  | "PESHAWUR"   | the Marks and Nos. of Packages Shipped; to correspond with those in their Bills of Lading.                                   |
| Misty O. Overcant, P. Passing showers. Q. Squally. B., Ralhy. S. Snow, T. Thunder. U. Bad, threatening. V. Visibility. W. Slove. Z. Calm. The letters are repeated.  | Navy Boiled Long Flax CANVAS.  - Crown   | PRESERVED VEGETABLES.  HAMS AND BACON, IN TIME.  PRESERVED CHERSE.  OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE SAUSAGES.   | SHEET IRON PICKLED,<br>COLD ROLLED,<br>And CLOSE ANNEALED.  | will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the next English Mail.  ADAM LIND   | For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company,                                       |
| to indicate any increase over the mona everage of their signification.  Rain.—The hours of rain for the previous 24 hours (noon)   | ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.<br>Hongkong, 11th May, 1867. [tf:1130]  | HOLOGNA SAUSAGES. YORKSHIRE GAME AND PORK PIES. TONGUES GAME POULTRY. PLUM PUDDINGS.   | BROOKER, DORE & Co.,  | Superintendent.<br>Hongkong, 2nd August, 1877. [1199   | No. 9, Praya Central.  RUSSELL & Co., Agents.  |
| ure registered from 1 to 24, and the quantity of water fallen indicated in inches, tens and huntreds.  | JOHN SKINKER, SAN FRANCISCO,<br>CALIFORNIA.  | LEA AND PERRINS' WORDESTRESHIE SAUCE.  | 521 63) ENGLAND. (Jan. 6  | FOR LONDON.  THE A1 British Borque   | Hongkong, 30th July, 1877.  STEAM FOR  |
| INSURANCES.  | Sole Agent on the Pacific Coast for<br>Winchester Repositing Arms and Ammunition   | Fresh supplies of the above and numerous other table delication may be had from most Storekoepers.  CAUTION.  To prevent the fraud of refilling the bottles or jars they   | NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS.  | W. Scott. Master, will have quick despatch as  | SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE<br>GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA.   |
| ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.   | Dn Pont's Blasting and Sporting Powder, Lake<br>Superior and Pacific Fuse Company's Safety   | should invariably be destroyed when coupty.  Goods should always be examined upon delivory to detect any attempt at substitution of articles of  | Neither the CAPTAIN, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS, will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crow-   | above. For Freight, apply to   | BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-<br>TERRANEAN PORTS,<br>SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON;  |
| THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT IN-<br>SURANCES at Current Rates.   |  | inferior brands.  All genuine goods bear the names of Crosse & Black.  well on the Labels, Corks, and Capanies of the  | of the following Vessels during their stay in<br>Hongkong Harbour:—   | I THE THE PERSON NAMED IN  | BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.  FIRE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM  |
| MELCHERS & Co.,<br>Agents, Royal Insurance Company.  |  | Bottles, Jars, and Tins.   | A. S. Davis, American ship, Ford.—Douglas<br>Lapraik & Co.<br>Augustz, French bark, Bernard.—Carlowitz  | THE British Barque   | MIRZAPORE," Captain Parish, will leave   |
| Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. tf1780 NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE   | ENGLISH AND CHINESE DICTIONARY.  | ENDOTED SOHO SOULDE TONDON FANCE SE  | & Co. BENEFACTOR, American bark, Hayden.—Rus-   | will have early despatch for the above Port.  For Light Freight apply to the CARTAIN:  | this on SATURDAY, the 11th August, at Noon. For further Particulars, apply to ADAM LIND, Superintendent.                     |
| THE Undersigned, Agents for the above  | The said of the said of the said of the said of the said   | OXYGEN IS LIFE.  | BERTHA, German bark, Ringe.—Wieler & Co.<br>Bon Accord, British bark, Scott.—Chinese.   | or, to  HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  Hongkong, 2nd August, 1877. [7d1200]   | Hongkong, 2nd August, 1877.  OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM.  |
| SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-<br>class risks at current rates.   | Daily Press Office, Hongkong.  | A LTHOUGH the modern Materia Medica includes many valuable remedies for human afflictions, it is a matter of certainty that in all   | BRIGRAND British bark, Hndlaston - Bussall  | FOR SAN FRANCISCO  | SHIP COMPANY.  |
| MELCHERS & Co.<br>Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. [tf674   | For comprehensiveness and practical service this Work stands unrivalled. All the new words which the Chinese have to late years been             | cases where the animal vitality is failing. Phosphorus is decidedly superior to every other remedy at present known. It will work effects such as nothing  | CHILI, British bark, Wm. Veal.—Gibb, Living-  | "A. S. DAVIS,"   | TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES  |
| NOTICE.  | jects in machinery, photography, telegraphy,   | clac will produce, and it possesses the great advan-   | COMMISSARY, British ship, Hunter.—Melchers & Co.  | For Proceeds and water   | AND EUROPE,  IN CONNECTION WITH THE  |
| TRANSIT INSURANCE COMPANY.   | and in science generally, which the rapid advance of foreign relations has imposed upon them, are here given in extenso. Each and every word is  | CAUTION.—PHOSPHORUS is sometimes sold in the form of Pills and Lozenges, it should be generally  |   | Hongkong, 2nd August, 1877. [1m1201]   | CENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD  |
| The Business of this Company has This  | fully illustrated and explained, forming exercises for students of a most instructive nature. Both the Court and Punti pronunciations are given. | known that every form where solid particles of Phos-<br>pherus are in combination is dangerous. It is there<br>fore necessary that the public should be cautioned  | F. P. LITCHFIELD, American bark, Spalding.—   | FOR: NEW YORK.  HE Al American Barkentine  | COMPANIES AND ATLANTIC STEAMERS.   |
| Day been Transferred to The Marine<br>Insurance Company, of 20, Old Broad Street,<br>London.   | the accents being carefully marked on the best principle hitherto attained. The typography   |  | GALATEA. Ger. ship, Lacger.—Melchers & Co.<br>GLAMORGANSHIRE, British bark, McEacher.—  | having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged,   | THE Steamship "OCEANIC" will be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama,  |
| By Order of the Proprietors, WILLIAM HUNT, Secretary.  | displays the success of an attempt to make the Chinese and English type correspond in the size   | UNDER DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE.   | Chinese. GOLDHUNTER, American ship, Freman.—Meyer & Co.   |  | on the baking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, and Europe.   |
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Regiment, or Ship, &c., in full. Many boxes of latters are received at the Post

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Our order. It is to consist of the smallest possible quantity compatible with showing what the Hongkong, 15th October, 1868. [ti1958 goods are, and must have no intrinsic value.

THE Undersigned have been appointed

EXTRACTS.

"YOU BID ME TRY." You bid me try, Blue-Eyes, to write A Randonn What! -- forthwith? -- to-night? Reflect. Some skill I lave, Lie true But thirteen lines, and thymod on two-Refrain " as well. Ah, hapless plight! Still, there are five lines . ranged stight, These Gallie bonds, I feared, would fright My easy Muse. They did till you-

You bid me try! That makes them vine. The port's in sight ;-Tis all because your eyes are bright! Now just a pair to end with "oo,"-When maids command, what can't we do! Bohold !-the Roudenn, tasteful, light, You bid mo try !

AUSTIN DOBSON.

ON A BEAUTIFUL GIRL All golden is her virgin head, Her chook a bloomy rose, Carnotion-bright the fluttering red That o'er it softly flows ; But neither gond nor flow ret vies With that elect wonder of her eyes.

To be beheld of me, And once 'twas in the twilight heaven, Once in the summer new; A yearning gladness thouce was born, A dream delightful and forlorn.

For once in heaven a single stat-Lay in a light unknown-A tunder tint, more land for Than all that eve had shown; t seemed between the gold and gray The far dawn of a facry day.

And once where ocean's depth divine. O'er silvern sands was hung, Gleamed in the half-lit byaline The hope no song has sung-The memory of a world more fair Than all our blazing woulth-of air.

For dear though earthly days may flow Our dream is dearer yet : How little is the life we know To life that we forget !-Till in a maiden's eyes we see What once had been, what still shall be. FREDERIC W. H. MYERS in Mucmillan.

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RACE MEETINGS AT HOME AND

Le Phare, of Dieppe, a French provincial paper, publishes the following striking comparison between Longchamps and Epsom Downs. It must be confessed, however, that it is hardly complimentary to our amour propre. "Last Sunday the string of carriages in the avenue of Longchamps and the Grand Alley of the Cascade took two hours in defiling past. Landaus, victorias, broughams, phætons, mail coaches avec les Four in Hand (sic) advanced slowly in four ranks; whilst whole squadrons of horsemen. vetted in the side alleys. The coup d'ail was fairy-like, and the return from the races favoured, as it was, by beautiful weather, left nothing to envy in the English Derby which only recalled to mind 'la fameuse descente de la Courtille. Briefly, this is description of the Derby Day across the Channel. Four hundred thousand pochards (whatever they may be) crammed on to a space of twenty kilometres, ten thousand idiots, bandy-legged, hump-backed, cripples, niggers coloured with lamp black of a more or less authentic hue, two thousand pickpockets, of all ages and both sexes; a medley of vehicles of every description, drawn beasts of a variety of species, from the thoroughbred to the screw, the donkey, and the dog. All these in an ocean of dust, and relieved with broken hats, torn clothes, black eyes, and turned-out pockets. In a word, a population in a frenzy for one day in the venr. This is the English Derby. It is perhaps, not very amusing; but it should done, Le Phare, your readers must feel much lish manners and customs in the nineteenth be was satirised by Churchill, and that the century. - Globe.

THE BERKELEY PEDIGREE. -the historian of English poetry and the Take another pedigree, that of Berkeley, This is one to the early stages of which my author of many graceful and some really being accompanied by a son of the only (1818) by Robert Southey, and the brightest Never after when his name was mentioned Rebecca possible King of Denmark Suen Estratheron, days of the laurenteship were soon to begin would she say more than "He is a clever Retriever the cousin and ally of Harold, never comes Southey's poetry is always respectable and factor, a very clever actor. New York Sunday Velos

into their heads .- Contemporary Review.

POET: LAUREATES. Literature and antiquities, though expressed in the same language, have as little in common as a mediaval alchymist and a modern chemist, and thousands of people who rejoice in the works of Mr. Tennyson are profoundly indifferent to the history of the office he holds. But the history of the laurenteship is more interesting than the uninitiated would suspect, and if much of the dust of antiquarianism has settled on it. much anecdote and much historical as well as biographical detail have gathered review his prodecessors, and to trace the proround it also. The origin of the office is not so easy to trace as the origin of the contrasted.—Globe.

and accepted by Mr. Tenbyson, who his prod Demask Shirtings, per piece alternately amused, disgrested, and rejoiced to English Drills, 30 yards, per piece alternately amused, disgrested, and rejoiced to English Drills, 14 lbs., per piece review his prodecessors, and to trace the proreview his prodecessors, and to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dynasty so strang. It was distributed to trace the progress of a dyna

contrasted. Globe. title. The idea of a great man or a king having a poet about him to celebrate his exploits is, as the readers of "Cicoro" are aware, as old as the times of Alexander the Great, to say nothing of King Richard I. provid- The Gloucester Journal mentions a sin- Grey T. Cloths, 24yds 86 in 81bs. XOp. po. ing himself with William the Foreigner, and gular custom which provails in the vil. ago Grey T. Cloths, 24yds 86 in 81bs. QL p. po. Edward II. with Baston, for the express pur- of Rendwick, near Stroud, Gloucestershir. pose of recording their exploits in verse. It On the 9th of April each year, amid proceedmay, however, be questioned whether the ings of a somewhat boistorous description, written, "poeta laurentus," can be found suing year, and in celebration of the event Muslin's White, Plain, 12 yds., per piece before the thirteenth century, and then it they claim and exercise the right of ducking Musline White, Figured, 24 yds. p. piece in two senses essentially different some one in the celebration of the event Musline White, Figured, 24 yds. p. piece in two senses essentially different some one in the celebration of the event Musline White, Figured, 24 yds. p. piece in the celebration of the event Musline White, Figured, 24 yds. p. piece in the celebration of the event Musline White in the celebration of the event Musline White in the celebration of the event Musline White, Figured, 24 yds. p. piece in the celebration of the event Musline White in the celebration of the event Musline in the celebration of the event Musline White in the celebration of the event Musline White in the celebration of the event Musline White in the celebration of the event Musline in the celebration of the celebration of the event Musline in the celebration of the event Musline in the celebration of the event Musline in the celebration of the celebration of the event Musline in the celebration of the term "poet laureate," or, as it would then be the villagers elect a "mayor" for the enwas used in two senses essentially different some one in the village pond. So for as the Turkey R. dishi, tings, 2 lbs., per piece from the meaning it now bears. In one Gloucester Journal has been able to learn, Volvet Black, 32 in of its uses it was applied to a per-the-only-privilege which the Mayor pos- Volvet Gentian, 22 son who had taken a peculiar degree sesses is that when he finds three pigs sleep. Velvetoons, Black, Pa Tyard son who had taken a peculiar degree sesses is that when as mas three pigs sleep. Velveteens, Gentian, our yard at the University of Cambridge; in an ing together, he may turn the middle one White Shirtings, 54 to de read per piece. other, to any poet who had particularly out and lie down himself between the other White Shirtings, 64 to 661 distinguished himself. The witty and eccen- two! - Notes and Queries ... tric Skelton, for instance, in the reign of

Henry VIII., was dubbed laureate poet, and is never weary of repeating his title both on his title pages and in his poems. Chaucer's allusion to Petrarch as the "laurente poet refers of course simply to that great man's Lof Scotland, in his remarkable and sin- three boys, if they are to return from school coronation at Rome in 1341. King James gularly beautiful poem entitled "The King's Quhair," refers both to Chaucer and Gower in the same terms, designating them " super-Chaucer and Gower were on intimate terms place his sims high, and pursue them steadily, lative as poetes laureate." But though both. with the reigning monarchs, there is no at all parallel to what we understand and elevation of purpose mean, not less by as the laureateship, and we must therefore understand King James's phrase in

a complimentary, not in a technical sense. The first poet laureate in the popular acceptation of the term—that is to say, the first poet who received a pension by virtue of his office-was undoubtedly the immortal author

their continuity, up to a time within the limpid verse differs little from that of the laken his vocation. Miss Cushman was struck Yesso memory of those still living, and the Derby present day, and stands in striking contrast with his polish and wit, his talent and cultured Yottung Plate always formed an important item in to the rough, mesculine, and somewhat un- tone. From conversations on acting in the

but busy lives like ours may be excused for impulse, I suddanly asked : Rhodes" for "The Idylls of the King" and Cushman, would you rather be?" "The Cenci." When Davenant had reigned She replied, as, impulsively glancing at Friederich for ten years Dryden took his place, and Clarke and sighing;

history of the laureate-ship through the her; it became a recognised fact that he was latter seventeenth and the whole of the the great star's protege, and next it transeighteenth century. First comes Shad pired that she had engaged him to go to well, who is only known to us from the England with her. stinging satires of the noble poet he sup- This was a happy period for them both. Jalo that detestable version of the Psalms which as far as lay within her power. Whether she This detestable poetaster terminated a dis- bed; Conrad Clarke did not, love Charlotte honourable career of gluttony and imbecility Cushman. His nature was too selfish to retiring to a living in Lincolnshire, and permit him to feel so pure and disinterested drinking himself to death in 1730. Next a passion as love in its highest sense;

exquisitely ludicrous verses from one of poor creature. Laying her hand on Miss Cush-Cibber's "Birthday Odes" in which he man's arm, she saidcompares bimself to a linnet sweetly singing as it sits perched on an eagle's wing; said genius and position might have plenty of Presto eagle's wing being his Sacred Majesty George admirers without taking up with the husband Tym III. Cibber departed, and William White. of a poor woman like me. siognomy of French race courses." Well head succeeded him. This gentlemanly man The tragedienne paused in blank astonishis principally known to us from the fact that ment. even to biographical dictionaries, which have say I have taken your husband S Packet found a place for Grainger and Armstrong. from you?" A gleam of light comes with Thomas Warton

name of this precious husband of yours?" "Conrad Clarke," was the reply. own work has led me to give some attention. - beautiful verses -- but with Warton's succes-I trust that I have shown that there is every sor, Henry James Pye, the laureateship The great actress burried away. She had probabilty that Robert Fitz-Harding, the may be said to have reached its nadir. His received a blow, but she met it with as brave T. Kramom patriarch of the House of Berkeley, was son name is familiar to the readers of Byron's a front as she had others in her not alof a Harding whose name often occurs in "Hints from Horace" and "Vision of together smooth path of life. Domesday and elsewhere, and grandson of Judgment." To say that he was below con. All smiles, bows, and honeyed words, Weles Castle Eadnoth the Staller, a man who, whether it tempt is to compare him with some of his Clarke greeted her that night. She gave be thought to his credit or otherwise, having predecessors, who are as superior to him as a death-blow to all his hopes, not tenderly, Zamore been a great officer under Edward and Virgil was to Bavius. To say that he must as many a woman so situated might have Harold, passed after the Conquest into the for all ages be synonymous with a postaster done, but with characteristic decision. service of William. Eadnoth and Harding of the lowest type is to confer on him a sort. On learning from his wife what she had

the Berkeleys seem anxious to get rid of their "They were designed," says Mathies, "to pro Forrest, of Cleveland, with whom she real English forefathers. By Sir Bernard duce animation throughout the kingdom, and lived wretchedly, and in a year or two died Barke all that we are told of the father of among the militia in particular." It was dur miserably, her whole career having been sad. Harding, is that he was one of the companions vasion was expected, and it was deemed ex- Clarke's fate any better. He gave himself it is something for Sir Bernard Burke to which had once wrought such enthusiasm and was laid in a drunkard's grave. have foreborne to put in some of the grosser among the Spartans was accordingly put into absurdities of the local entiquaries. Those operation. They were read aloud at Warwho call Harding "Mayor of Bristob" say ley Common and at Barham Downs by the what is in one sense likely enough, though I adjutants at the head of five different region at home after the performance, she sank Balfio do not know that there is any proof, and I ments at each camp and much what enoughed there in her Bessie Morr cannot say off-hand whether. Bristol had a But before they were half finished all the clothes in abject despandant daybreak. China at home after the performance, she sank

sometimes excellent. His "Thalaba," "Ma Dispatch.

doe, and "Roderic," satisfy in a manner the few readers they manage to find, though, on the whole, they prove the truth of Porson's humorous remark, that they would be read when Homer and Virgil were forgotten and not till then. Southey was followed American Drille, 80 yards, per piece y one of the greatest names in English Cotton Yarn, No. 16 to 24, per 400 lbg. literature William, Wordsworth, who held Cotton-Yarn, No. 28 to 82, per 400 lbs. and accepted by Mr. Tennyson, who must be Dyed Brockdes Shirtings, per piece

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Charity is not the only quality which begin at home. It is throwing away money spend a thousand a year on the teaching of intent on amusing themselves at any cost of time and trouble, or sacrificing self-respect in ignoble efforts to struggle into a social unless the parent has taught him what energy

ANOTHER LOVE ROMANCE OF CHARLOTTE CUSHMAN.

After Miss Cushman had achieved fame in Fu.vew of the "Facry Queen." In 1591 he received England she made a tour of this country. Golden Horn a pension of fifty pounds a year from Queen She was then a woman of middle age, with a Hailoong Elizabeth, and in his twenty-eighth sonnethe remarkably ugly face, but tall and-wellalludes to his "laureal leafe." His splendid moulded frame. She played an engagement in the year 1687 instituted the Derby Plate, panegyries on his Royal mistress preceded, at the National Theatre, Cincippati. Conrad to be run for on the 28th of July every year, however, his election to the office, and were the B. Clarke was the leading man, many years on the racecourse situated between the bays spontaneous outpourings of real, not pur her junior. He had been brought up as a Ocean of Castleton and Derbyhaven, in the Isle of chased admiration. Spencer was succeeded gentleman, being the son of a Quaker in Peiho Man. The value of the plate was £5. The by Samuel Daniel—the well-languaged Philadelphia. He soon evinced a liking for Pernambuco Isle of Man races were held upon that iden. Daniel," as one of his contemporaries has the stage, and nothing could keep him from it. Volga tical racecourse, with occasional breaks in happily called him-a post whose sweet and As far as theatrical talent went, he had not mis-

the programme. I know a highly raspected restrained vigour which characterises most of theatre, Clarke soon began to call at her hotel Antworp and venerable dignitary of the Church now his contemporaries. With Ben Jonson, who to receive particular instruction in the parts A. S. Davis living who was placed in a very awkward in 1619 succeeded Daniel, commenced the he was to play with her; then he escorted her A. Lorway predicament some forty, years ago by seeing celebrated namual butt of canary, which has home from the theatre at nights, and it was Auguste himself announced in the public prints as the ever since been as intimately associated with plainly to be seen that she looked with Benchtha owner of the winner of one of these events, the lauresteship as the birthday ode was marked favour on the young actor. One Benefictor his coachman having actually; without his during the eighteenth century supposed to evening she was at the wing, ready to go on knowledge or consent, entered a very fast be. During the stormy period which inter- as Meg Merrilies, I playing the boy in "Guy Brisbane mare of his for the race, and won it. You vened between 1640 and 1660 people had Mannering." I was standing by her side, Caldew will guess that his coachman had a very bad something more serious to think about and Mr. Clarke was a few steps off, flirting Canton quarter of an hour soon after. But his offence than the peaceful office of poet lau-desperately with a levely young actress who Conton was forgiven, and for eight and thirty years restes, consequently the office was dis- had been christened "The Poodle Dog "from Chili-

> supposed to run the blood of Shakespeare; directions, and impelled by I know not what B. Castle. exchanging "Gondibert" and the "Siege of "What of all things in this world, Miss Escort

reflected more glory on the office than the office reflected on him. Political causes led anything in this wide, wide world, and on Galates to his resignation in 1689, and from that the stage she rushed to shrick through Meg Geneviere moment an appointment which had been re- Merrilies. After this he assumed a bolder George presented and ennobled by four illustrious front, flirted no more about the scenes, and G. Croshaw names sank into the lowest depths of infamy became obsequiously attentive to her: He G'morganshire and degradation. It is painful to trace the travelled with her a short time to support Gold Hunter

planted, and will be to all ages associated Frankness being one of her chief character- J. S. Stone the grossest sensuality and the istics, she made no secret of her admiration coarsest writing. He was succeeded by for his talents and liking for him personally, Nahun Tate, who is now known only from and of her intention to forward his interests managed for many years to maintain a place leved him as she had leved another in her girlwhere it ought never to have been tolerated hood days is difficult to determine, but her for a week. The respectable Nicholas Rowe, manners became more gentle and womanlike, the author of "Jane Shore," and certain she was less imperious with her underlings, other plays, which have been deservedly for and gave a great deal of time to teaching gotten, was succeeded by Lawrence Ensden. him his parts. His feelings were easier pro-

came Colley Cibber, the hero of the second | Matters had stood thus for some months. Mignon edition of the Dunciad, who appears One evening Miss Cushman was going to the Nimrod. to have been elected to the office chiefly theatro, alone, when a weak, haggard-looking Norseman for his ability in penning prose comedies. woman approached her, with a baby in her Northern Star July 21 J. Wort Johnson has quoted and ridiculed some arms. Sho was a small, red-haired, fragile N.D.dela Garde July 13 Légier " Miss Cushman, I think a woman of your Polynesia

"Are you talking to me?" she asked.

"Yes you - Charlotte Cushman." "I don't know you; and may I ask the

are perfectly well-ascertained men, and there of dignity. One can only call him an "in. done, he became furious at what he declared Carl is no other Harding to whom we can so expressible person, and fall back on an to be a malicious scheme to ruin him, and St. Joseph. readily assign the otherwise unknown parent- anecdote related by Mathias in one of the notes leaving her he swore never to live age of Robert Fitz-Harding. But while to his "Pursuits of Literature." Mr. Henry with her again. Annie Clarko carrly other people have been so anxious to devise James Pye had, it seems translated into Eng. obtained a divorce from him, and China for themselves imaginary. English forefathers, lish the spirit-stirring strains of Tyrtoeus shortly after married an actor mand Howsang Robert Fitz Harding, in other words of ring that momentous period when a French in and unhappy from first to last. Nor was Alex Newton of William the Conqueror. This is pure pedient to do something to fire the courage up wholly to drink, sank lower and lower. Paradies fiction; no such Harding can be found; still of the recruits. Pye's version of those verses and finally perished, and outcast, a beggar, Tal Watt Charlotte Cushman told mo that on arriving

Mayor so early: But the favourite thing is front ranks, and as may of the others middle age a woman often loves more fer-to call him a son of "the King of Denmark." who were within hearing or verse shot, many of the King of Denmark." who were within hearing or verse shot, many of the King of Denmark." Sometimes he is Mayor of Bristol, follower dropped their arms suddenly and were all vently-more with her mind then her beart - Diana of the Concacror, and son of the King of found fast asleep. Well might, the Mar than in her green and salad days. She had also E.M. Young Denmark, all at once. It is smusing, to ask | quis Townshend, who, we are are told, "never | been deeply wounded in her pride she had a Gloucestershire antiquary what King of approved of the scheme," observe in allusion deigned to smile upon an obscure actor, had he were the scheme, observe in allusion deigned to smile upon an obscure actor, had he were the scheme of the a Gloucestershire antiquary what King of approved of the scheme," observe in allusion deigned to since upon an possure actor, that Marion Denmark he means. You soon find that one to Pye's murderous version that the flat he was her beginning that the little of the best decided they are to his Meridian King of Denmark is the same to him as of all poets had noticed that "sleep was the herself, and he had deceived her as to his Nadoshda another. The grotesque absurdity of William krother of death." But Pye was succeeded status—had neglected a wife for her sake. Peter

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